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FLINT BANKERS ADMIT EMBEZZLEMENT

Midwest Combed for St. Joseph Police Murderer

YULE BUYING IN U. S. SETS RECORD PACE

GOVERNMENT FINDS PEOPLE SPENDING MONEY

BY DAVID LAWRENCE

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Washington, Dec. 16.—With an eagerness borne of a desire to refute any psychology of hesitation in business that may have resulted from the recent stock market decline, administration officials are pouncing upon every bit of information and statistics that throw light on the business situation.

What happened in November is considered particularly pertinent. The assumption is that if the stock market losses were widespread they would be reflected in a diminution of retail buying. But the figures for department store sales throughout the twelve federal reserve districts actually show a slight increase. There is no denying that the increase would have been substantial under ordinary circumstances but gratification is expressed that November 1929 more than held its own with November 1928.

The figures on Christmas buying are pointed to by the White House as a sign that the country has not at all been shaken by the recent crisis. In fact the volume of holiday trading is ahead of last year.

Increase Substantial.

In many cities the reports indicate that sales will show a substantial increase in business. The belief is expressed by the experts here that the buying power of those who speculated in the market was undoubtedly affected but that relatively speaking the whole country averaged up as well as last year on buying power. It is pointed out that many of the people who sold their stocks at a profit before the decline are undoubtedly buying luxuries and that the large number who saved their money and did not speculate are proceeding in normal fashion to satisfy their wants.

Incidentally there are some skeptics who will not be satisfied as to the true effect of the stock market situation until the unemployment figures for December, January and February are at hand. The figures on unemployment are always difficult to get because there is so much duplication in the reports, and some persons familiar with unemployment statistics insist that while some industries will lay off men the total unemployed is going to be less than a year ago. It was one of the phenomena of the prosperity period that unemployment reached its peak then notwithstanding high dividends.

Construction Projects.

The most important piece of news with respect to the business situation is the notable increase in construction contracts during the first week in December. The average for thirty-seven Eastern

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Harris Successor To Be Named Today

Ishpeming, Mich., Dec. 16 (AP)—A bishop to suceed the Right Rev. Robert L. Harris of Marquette, resigned, will be elected at a meeting of Episcopal clergy and laity in Grace church here Tuesday morning.

ROAD REPORT

DAILY BULLETIN

All roads open.

ROAD REPORT

The following upper peninsula, trunk line are being maintained open for wheel traffic this winter:

US-2 —Throughout.
M-5 —Throughout.
M-6 —Throughout.
M-26 —Throughout.
M-28 —Throughout, except between Shingleton and Wetmore (use M-94 Shingleton to Munising.
US-31—Throughout.
M-35 —Menominee, Escanaba, Gladstone to Negaunee, Skanee, L'Anse, Baraga to Alston. M-26 Rockland to Ontonagon.
US-41—Throughout, except between Marquette and Negaunee (use route 28); Hancock to Calumet (use M-52; Short cut to Copper Harbor.
M-45 —Throughout.
M-48 —Throughout.
M-64 —Throughout.
M-67 —Throughout.
M-69 —Throughout.
M-72 —Throughout.
M-77 —Throughout.
M-94 —Open ten miles north of Manistique and from Shingleton through Munising to Au Train.
M-98 —Throughout.
M-135—From Curtis to Helmer.
US-141—Throughout.

Fear Atlantic Attempt Has Met With Failure

(By The Associated Press)

Although they hoped to reach the Brazilian coast in the vicinity of Natal at 10 p. m. Monday night (8 p. m. E. S. T.) the Uruguayan aviator, Major Tadeo Larre-Borges, and his French companion, Lieut. Leon Challe, flying a French Breguet plane from Seville, Spain, had not been sighted there.

At 10 p. m. eastern Brazilian time, however, the Aero-Postal company radio station at Natal said it had maintained communication with the two flyers. The aviators could not understand the Natal station's signals. The Aero-Postal announcement gave no indication as to their approximate position.

The Aero-Postal report was the first definite word of the plane since about 6 p. m. (4 p. m. E. S. T.). Up to that time the radio station on the island of Fernando Do Noronha, about 125 miles from the easternmost point of Brazil, intercepted signals from the plane.

On the basis of the report it was felt that the plane might be in the vicinity of Natal, unseen in the darkness, and flying southward along the Brazilian coast toward its destination, Montevideo, capital of Uruguay. In this case it would have travelled about 3,600 miles of its 6,000-mile journey.

No Radio Message

Pernambuco, Bahia and Rio Janeiro, lacking definite word from radio stations in their own vicinity, however, were represented as being still anxious for the safety of the two airmen as late as 10:50 p. m. (8:50 p. m. E. S. T.) Monday.

The flyers left Seville 12:40 p. m. Sunday (7:40 a. m. E. S. T.) and headed down the northwest African coast, passed over the Cape Verde islands, and according to the French air ministry definitely reached St. Paul rock, a barren speck of outcropping only 465 miles from easternmost Brazil. It seemed at the time they had increased their speed to about 125 miles an hour.

COSTE AFTER RECORD

Avignon, France, Dec. 16 (AP)—Dieudonne Coste, French holder of the world distance record for straight-line flights, at 10:50 tonight had been aloft 36 hours and had covered approximately 3,799 miles toward setting a new world distance record over a measured, closed circuit course.

He dropped a note at that time which said:

"Have saved thus far 70 gallons of gasoline. Expect to remain in the air 57 hours and reach close to 10,000 kilometers (more than 6,000 miles)."

Coste was not aware that a fellow countryman, Lieut. Leon Challe, with the Uruguayan Major Tadeo Larre-Borges was winging his way across the south Atlantic over the route that Coste had covered with Lebrix in 1927. One of the objectives of this flight is to smash the distance record recently set by Coste in his flight to Manchuria from Paris.

The partner of Coste in the present endeavor is Pilot Codos of the regular Paris-London passenger service. They are flying Coste's famous red Breguet "Question Mark" plane. They began their attempt yesterday morning at Marseilles.

JAPANESE CALL ON PRESIDENT

End Naval Competition, Desire of Both Nations

BY C. P. WILLIAMSON

(Associated Press Staff Writer)

Washington, Dec. 16 (AP)—Hopeful for the success of the London naval conference, the Japanese delegation to the parley today clasped hands with President Hoover in the White House in a common desire for the ending of competitive building of sea armaments.

The call of the Japanese commission was confined to exchanges of courtesies preparatory to conferences which the delegates will have with the president, Secretary Stimson and other American officials during the remaining three days of their stay in Washington in order to have talks with American government officials preliminary to the sailing of the Japanese for London to attend the parley, opening January 21.

In Native Dress

The callers were former Premier Reijiro Wakatsuki and Takeshi Takerabe, minister of marine, and a few of the major officials and advisers of the Japanese commission. The other advisers and the large staff which accompanied the delegation spent the day establishing a headquarters at the Mayflower hotel and later took sightseeing trips around the capital.

The activities of the delegation and their advisers and staff were confined to formal calls and a press conference at the Japanese embassy. Madame Debuchi, wife of Ambassador Debuchi of Japan, accompanied Madame Takerabe, wife of Admiral Takerabe, upon several official and social calls. Madame Takerabe is the only woman with the delegation. She wears native Japanese costume, being attired in black silk upon her arrival in Washington, changing to a costume of robin's egg blue for the afternoon call.

Kills Wife, Seven Children With Ax; Cuts Own Throat

Three Rivers, Que., Dec. 16 (AP)—The confessed slayer of his wife and seven small children, Andrew Day was in a serious condition at a local hospital tonight from self-inflicted wounds. Mrs. Day and the children ranging in age from one to 14 years were found dead in their beds this morning, apparently slain with an ax. A short time later police found the husband wandering in the street, his throat slashed.

Police said Day told them he had "murdered my family" and then wrote a confession on a piece of cardboard. He opened his coat at the throat and exhibited his wounds to policemen, saying they were self-inflicted. He spoke with great difficulty.

Neighbors said Day was regarded as a quiet and peaceable man.

Daughter of Early St. Ignace Settlers Summoned by Death

Detroit, Dec. 16 (AP)—Mrs. Annie Hannigan, 74 years old, daughter of David and Catherine Murray, early settlers at St. Ignace late tonight died at the home of her brother in law, John Leahy at 847 Nottingham road, Grosse Pointe. She was born on Mackinas Island.

A brother, John Murray, of Milwaukee, survives.

Mrs. Hannigan was aunt of Mayor George Chambers and Judge William Chambers, both of Macinac Island.

Funeral services will be held at St. Ambrose church, Grosse Pointe, at 9 a. m. Thursday.

ISOLATES "FLU" GERM

An important discovery that may mean science's final victory over influenza, was made by Dr. Isadore S. Falk, 30, of the University of Chicago, when he isolated the "flu" germ after a year's research. Dr. Falk and his assistant, Miss Ruth McKinney, are shown here.

Day in Washington

Senate ratified French war debt settlement.

Tax reduction resolution signed by president.

House authorizes $230,000,000 public building program including new supreme court building.

Senate and house passed bill to extend life of federal radio commission.

Japanese naval parley delegates met President Hoover and American delegates.

Senate authorized study of prohibition enforcement reorganization.

HEFLIN BARRED AS CANDIDATE

Democrats Blacklist Him for Bolting Al Smith

Montgomery, Ala., Dec. 16 (AP)—The state Democratic executive committee today barred United States Senator J. Thomas Heflin, a candidate to succeed himself, and Hugh A. Locke, of Birmingham, a gubernatorial candidate, from the Alabama Democratic primary next year because of their refusal to support Alfred E. Smith, Democratic presidential nominee in last year's general election.

By a vote of 27 to 21, the committee decided to bar from the Democratic primary August 12, 1930, all candidates for federal, state, district or circuit offices who supported President Hoover. County offices were not affected by the committee ruling, the matter being left to the discretion of the county committees.

Will Run Anyway

The resolution invited all voters who believe in the principles of the Democratic party to cast their votes in the August primary, the only requirement being that they support the party's nominees in the general election.

While Heflin and Locke are barred from the Democratic primary by the ruling, the former announced today in Washington he would again be a candidate. Both Senator Heflin and Mr. Locke are expected to campaign as Independent Democrats.

Calles In Texas, Train Doesn't Stop

Laredo, Tex., Dec. 16 (AP)—The special train bearing General Plutarco Elias Calles and party from New York ot Mexico City passed through Laredo at 7:45 p. m. without stopping.

The passing of the train through Laredo tonight took citizens by surprise, it having been announced that the former president of Mexico was not expected until early tomorrow. Plans to extend the general a friendly welcome had been formulated by business men and others.

Marines on Guard For Special Train Of General Calles

Laredo, Texas, Dec. 16 (AP)—Desiring to reach his home in Mexico as soon as possible, General Plutarco Elias Calles passed through Laredo early tonight aboard a special train from New York.

A detachment of United States marines was aboard the train as it passed through Texas. When the train changed locomotives in the suburbs at San Antonio at 3:15 p. m. the marines stepped off and placed themselves on guard, preventing anyone from approaching the former president's car.

John A. Valls, district attorney of Webb county, Texas, who had threatened to arrest Calles on a conspiracy charge he had filed against him in connection with the slaying of two Mexican army officers here in 1922, when informed at his office that the general had passed through Laredo without topping merely replied that he knew about it.

COAL STRIKE NEARING END

Mines Back in Operation; Rioters Held in Jail Released

Taylorville, Ill., Dec. 16 (AP)—Coal operators said tonight that the present strike of the National Miners Union in the Taylorville coal fields appears destined to end by Wednesday unless unexpected developments occur in the meantime. A similar opinion was expressed by leaders of the United Mine Workers of America whose organization has oposed the strike.

Four of the six Christian county mines which were the principal targets of the walkout a week ago were back in operation today.

Disturbers on Bond

The two mines not yet working are No. 7 and No. 9 of the Peabody Coal company and miners of Number 9 met tonight to decide about going back to work. Many of the miners expressed the belief that they would get back in the pits tomorrow and others believed they would be working again by Wednesday at least.

In the meantime, more than a score of strikers held in jail obtained their release on bonds ranging from $500 to $800. Two attorneys, D. J. Bentall of Chicago and George Kenney of Springfield, appeared in behalf of these strikers, saying they had been retained by the National Miners Union. Harry Grundy, state's attorney, said no plans had been made for trying the strikers, who were held on an assortment of charges, including violation of the riot act, intimidation, disturbing the peace and conspiracy.

BELIEVE MAN IS GANGSTER, BANK ROBBER

WISCONSIN LOOT IS DISCOVERED IN HIS HOME

St. Joseph, Mich., Dec. 16 (AP)—Every railroad station and every important highway in the middle west was under police scrutiny tonight as part of the hunt for Frederick Burke, alias Dane, notorious Chicago gunman and bank robber, who killed a traffic officer and fled this city Saturday when his arrest in connection with an automobile accident threatened him with exposure.

While the search went on information regarding Burke's past record and the crimes with which his name has been mentioned poured in from the law enforcement agencies of four states. Chicago police reported that Burke is a dangerous murderer and bank robber and is wanted there in connection with the St. Valentine's day massacre last February. From St. Louis came word that Burke is known there as a notorious gangster who was acquitted of a charge of participating in the $38,305 robbery of the United Railways general offices in 1925 despite positive identification.

Capone Gang Aids?

Burke already has been linked with the robbery of the Farmers and Merchant's bank at Jefferson, Wis., Nov. 7 by the discovery of $319,850 worth of securities stolen from the bank, cached in a suitcase in his palatial St. Joseph residence. It is believed Burke was the leader of the five young men who participated in that robbery.

Detroit police reported that

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Counterfeit $100 Bills Circulated

New York, Dec. 16 (AP)—Glance carefully at your change—there's a lot of counterfeit $100 bills about.

Allen G. Straight, head of the secret service in New York, today revealed that a number of spurious notes of new federal reserve $100 denomination are being circulated throughout the country, especially in cities along the Atlantic and Pacific coasts.

The bills are nearly perfect in engraving and experts can detect them only with the aid of a powerful magnifying glass. The green ink is too dark in spots and the picture of Benjamin Franklin on the face is made from too fine a screen among other flaws.

Banks are receiving from one to four of the bills a day.

Turkey and Soviets Sign Friends Pact

Angora, Turkey, Dec. 16 (AP)—A Turco-Soviet amity pact will be signed here tomorrow, following the terms of the Kellogg-Briand pact for renunciation of war. L. M. Karakhan will sign for the Soviet commissariat of foreign affairs and Foreign Minister Tewfik Rushdi Bey will sign for Turkey.

Tax Slice Now a Law; U. S. Building Approved

Washington, Dec. 16 (AP)—Income tax reduction of $160,000,000 was enacted into law today when President Hoover signed the joint congressional resolution providing for the slash.

The chief executive affixed his signature in the presence only of two of his secretaries, George Akerson and Lawrence Richey, using the pen with which he transacts routine business.

Thus, the American income taxpaying public was assured a reduction of one per cent upon normal personal and corporation levies to be paid next year.

The measure had been sent to the treasury department where Secretary Mellon quickly gave his approval. A treasury messenger returned the document to the White House and the president signed it immediately after it was laid upon his desk.

SPEND QUARTER BILLION

Washington, Dec. 16 (AP)—In less than two hours and practically without opposition, the house today authorized more than a quarter of a billion dollars for government buildings throughout the country.

Nearly one-half of the sum, $115,000,000, would be expended for the federal construction program in the District of Columbia. A like sum would be apportioned for postoffices and other federal buildings all over the country. These funds were authorized in a single measure introduced by Chairman Elliott, of the public buildings committee.

For War Veterans

Under two other bills sent to the senate, the United States supreme court would receive a new home near the capitol at an expenditure of $9,740,000 and $14,000,000 would be devoted to hospital building needs of World war veterans.

The Elliottt bill was passed amid a shouting of "yeas" from both sides of the chamber, the echo of which made virtually inaudible a few scattered negative votes. The

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Comes Home With Gifts; Finds Wife, Daughter Frozen

Havre, Mont., Dec. 16 (AP)—Returning home with a Christmas tree and supplies for the holiday season, Guy Pratt, Hill county rancher found his wife and small daughter frozen to death.

In the absence of her husband, Mrs. Pratt had set out with the child to visit a neighbor a mile and a half away. Wading through deep snow with the girl in her arms, she fell exhausted a quarter of a mile from her destination and the two perished.

PAIR OF BOMBS STIRS DETROIT

Blasts Wreck Grocery Store and Filling Station

Detroit, Dec. 16 (AP)—Two bombings within four hours of each other which damaged a grocery store and filling station were the subject of a police investigation today.

Shortly after midnight today a powder bomb exploded beside a pump in a filling station at the southwest corner of Tennyson and and Oakland avenues in Highland Park ,tearing the pump from its foundation and shattering windows for blocks around. Walter Smith, living next door to the filling station, was hurled from his bed by the blast. No motive has been found.

Fire, resulting from a mysterious explosion at 8 p. m. yesterday destroyed the stock and damaged the grocery store of Frank Marino 40, at 5206 Montclair avenue. Windows of houses in the neighborhood were blown in by the explosion. Police are holding Marino for investigation. Investigation revealed three five gallon cans of gasoline in the store, one of which was attached to a long fuse hanging out of the window.

Manslaughter Trial Follows Blaze at Detroit Study Club

Detroit, Dec. 16 (AP)—The trial of Martin Cohn, proprietor of the Study Club in which 23 men and women lost their lives in a fire and panic Sept. 22, opened in recorder's court today before Judge Frank Murphy. Cohn is charged with manslaughter.

The manslaughter count against Cohn is specifically based on the death of Roland Lowe, one of the guests. The state contends Cohn was negligent in providing adequate fire escapes and exits.

Selection of a jury occupied the court today. Seven women and six men made up the jury selected. One will serve as an alternate in case a juror becomes ill.

Rifle, Yule Gift Kills Grandmother

Richland Center, Wis., Dec. 16 (AP)—Prospects of a merry Christmas have turned to tragedy at the home of Floyd Janney, 12, his .22 caliber rifle a Christmas gift—accidentally discharged, killing Mrs. Eva Janney, 71, the boy's grandmother.

Eager for the rifle he wanted for Christmas, Floyd teased his father, Martin, until he got it ahead of time.

Rail Executives At Metal Hearing

Chicago, Dec. 16 (AP)—Traffic executives of Great Northern and Santa Fe railroads occupied the stand late today in the interstate commerce commission's investigation of tariffs on non-ferrous metals. Findings of the hearing are to be used as basis of rate adjustments as provided for in the Hoch-Smith resolution passed by congress.

File Bankruptcy Against Sonora

Bay City, Dec. 16 (AP)—An involuntary petition of bankruptcy was filed in United States district court here Monday against the Sonora Products Company of America, a Delaware corporation operating at Saginaw, Mich. The petitioners, all of Saginaw, were Brady, Judd and company, Norely Brothers and the Saginaw Lumber company, operating as the Booth and Boyd Lumber company.

NINE OF LIST PLEAD GUILTY; SIX ASK TRIAL

SENTENCES TO BE HANDED OUT JAN. 2

Flint, Mich., Dec. 16 (AP)—Nine of fifteen former executives and employes of the Union Industrial Bank of Flint pleaded guilty today to taking part in the wholesale embezzlements which diverted $3,592,000 of bank funds to unfortunate speculation in securities markets. They were ordered sentenced Jan. 2.

Six others stood mute at their arraignment before Circuit Judge James S. Parker, thereby electing to go on trial. One of them, John S. De Champ, former senior vice-president, indicted for embezzlement of $91,000, will go on trial Jan. 6. The others, five former tellers, were told to appear for trial Jan. 10.

Made False Statement?

The nine who pleaded guilty help positions for importance between that of De Camp and the five tellers who stood mute with him. The former president of the bank, Grant J. Brown, under charges of making a false statement of his obligations to the bank, will be arraigned Dec. 23.

Today's procedure was another step in the law's effort to exact punishment for the huge defalcations which started in 1926 and came to light after the recent stock market crash.

Discovery that most of the men holding important positions in the bank were involved in the embezzlements was followed by a complete reorganization in which Charles S. Mott, vice president of General Motors Corporation, returned to active leadership of the bank of which he formerly was president. Mr. Mott advanced sufficient cash from his private fortune to cover all of the losses.

Began in 1926

H. H. Wilkins, named executive vice president of the bank in the reorganization, said on Nov. 15 when warrants for six former officers were issued that use of the bank's funds for speculative purposes began in 1926, the defalcations being individual affairs. As the men began to learn of each other's activities, he said, they worked together, holding conferences in the bank offices after business hours. Fictitious notes were used, he said to cover stock purchases, the employes planning to take up the notes after realizing profits on their speculations.

Those who pleaded guilty today were Elton D. Graham, former vice president and cashier; Frank D. Montague, former assistant vice president; Milton Pollock, former vice president; Ivan P. Christiansen, former assistant cashier; Russell A. Runyon, former discount manager;

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WEATHER

LAKE MICHIGAN: Increasing east to northeast winds Tuesday, becoming fresh to possibly strong northeast to north Tuesday night; snow over north portion, rain over south portion Tuesday.

LOWER MICHIGAN: Rain in south, snow in north portion, slightly warmer in southeast portion Tuesday; Wednesday snow and considerably colder.

UPPER MICHIGAN: Snow, colder in west portion Tuesday; Wednesday probably local snows, colder in east portion.

WISCONSIN: Snow in north, rain or snow in south portion, colder in extreme north portion Tuesday; Wednesday partly cloudy to cloudy, possibly snow flurries in extreme east, colder in south and central portions.

	At 7 P. M.	Low Last 24 Hours
Escanaba	22	10

Temperatures—Low Today

Alpena	16	Marquette	14
Boston	20	Memphis	60
Buffalo	18	Milwaukee	32
Calgary	-2	Montreal	0
Chicago	34	New Orleans	58
Cleveland	30	New York	30
Denver	34	Port Arthur	2
Detroit	24	Qu'appelle	-8
Duluth	14	St. Louis	46
Evansville	50	St. Paul	20
Galveston	60	Salt Lake	48
Grand Rapids	24	S'n Francisco	54
Jacksonville	60	Soo, Mich.	2
Kansas City	38	Tampa	62
Los Angeles	52	Washington	42
Ludington	24	White River	-24

HUCKINS CAR IS ATTACHED

Paid "Investors" 52 Percent; Fraud, Conspiracy Charged

Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Dec. 16 (AP)—George E. Huckins, co-defendant with his father, Elmer S. Huckins, and mother, Ameria Huckins of Hancock, Wis., in a civil suit seeking to recover $3,150 invested in a concern operated by them which has paid investors 26 to 52 per cent, had left Cedar Rapids today. His attorney, Walter J. Barngrover, upon whom a writ of attachment was served today, admitted the younger Huckins had left "at least temporarily."

Barngrover said he did not know where Huckins had gone. He admitted that an automobile was assigned to him by Huckins, and that the car was attached by Sheriff Harry Manchester today.

Manchester also served papers on William Saunders, caretaker of the Huckins' home, attaching household goods and another automobile held by Saunders, who was found by deputies attempting to find Huckins to be the only occupant of the house.

The three Huckins Saturday were charged with conspiracy to obtain money under false representations by Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Royster, who said they had mortgaged their home to invest money in the Huckins concern. The writ of attachment was issued by Judge Atherton Clark but efforts to serve it on Huckins were futile when deputies failed to get any response to summons at the Huckins home.

George Huckins suffered a nervous breakdown Friday at Cedar Rapids and Saturday was received as a patient at an Excelsior Springs sanitarium, the Star wil say.

He arrived at the sanitarium with a registered nurse and $10,000 in currency, and registered under an assumed name, the newspaper adds. Today he admitted his identity, the dispatch says, and said he planned to return to Cedar Rapids when he recovers from his illness.

Kansas City, Dec. 16 (AP)—The Kansas City Star tomorrow will say George E. Huckins, 38, who with his father, Elmer S. Huckins, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, is alleged to have obtained $3,000,000 from investors by promising 26 to 52 per cent, is at Excelsior Springs, Mo. Investors, many of whom are worried over their money, had lost track of him over the week end.

REBEL REVOLT GETS WEAKER

Chinese Nationals Again Appear in Complete Control

Shanghai, Dec. 16 (AP)—China's Nationalist government appeared tonight to have checked at least temporarily the widespread revolt which for a few days seemed certain to cause its collapse.

Reports from quarters which a week ago were hotbeds of rebellion showed that instead of a precarious defensive position in which the Nationalists sought only to save the capital, Nanking. They had again assumed the offensive against their rebel attackers. The government forcet were entering the enemy's territories and the rebels generally appeared to be crumbling before the onslaught.

Drive Northward

The principal areas concerned were: first, the territory about Canton; second, the region of Hankow; third, the section north of Pukow, where the Pukow mutineers apparently were unable further to maintain their revolt against the government.

About Canton the rebels were reported crushed and the Nationalists again in firm control.

North of Hankow the Nationalists were reported to have begun a drive northward which was expected to result in the collapse of the insurgents of that area under General Tang Yun-Sheng.

North of Pukow the Nanking forces claimed also to have the rebels in a precarious condition.

As a result of these changes, the swiftness of which requently is characteristic of Chinese political and military developments, the Nationalist government again seems capable of maintaining at least normal control over defecting areas.

Consider Pardon For Tom Mooney

San Francisco, Dec. 16 —The state pardon boad met here today to consider the application of Thomas J. Mooney for a pardon.

Mooney is serving a life sentence in San Quentin prison for participation in the San Francisco preparedness day bombing in 1916.

The pardon board received a mass of documents bearing on tthe case, then djourned to meet again after the board members had perused the records.

"We can't say at this time when we'll be through examining the case" said Lieutenant Governor H. L. Carnahan, chairman of the board. "All members were given a transcript of the case and will study it with open minds. We will then discuss the reliability of the various witnesses and the various other aspects of the case."

Mooney and Warren K. Billings are serving life sentences for conviction of participation in the Preparedness day bombing in which ten persons were killed and many injured. Billings' application for a pardon is before the California supreme court, the state law providing that when a man has had a prior conviction for a felony the governor cannot pardon without the court's approval.

Izaak Walton League Favors Plan To Make Hunters of Small Game Pay Fee for Rights of Shooting

BY GILBERT T. SHILSON

Lansing, Mich., Dec. 16 (AP)—A decision that if small game hunting is to continue to be worthy of the name, hunters must pay for the game they take, was reached by a state-wide conservation conference, sponsored by the Izaak Walton League of Michigan, here today.

Resolutions were adopted declaring that some way should be devised to encourage greater public areas for shooting and increased propogation of game by requiring payment. A general discussion revealed a strong undertone of sentiment in favor of adopting a plan whereby farmers would be enabled to collect a fee, either from the state or the hunters, in return for the privilege of shooting. Among the suggestions offered were that the state stock farm lands and the farmers be entitled to charge hunters entering their land, with part of the charge to be returned to the state or that property owners buy birds and charge for the privilege of hunting them. It was generally agreed that the state is not in a position, financially to shoulder the burden. Proposals that the state pay property owners so much an acre for the purpose of allowing public shooting on them were objected to by some speakers because of the cost.

The conference adopted a resolution declaring the Horton trespass act is justified as a means of protecting the property of farmers.

Considerable discussion was aroused over the so-called special privilege extended hunting clubs which are allowed pre-season pheasant shooting. Farmer organization representatives asserted the farmers should have the same privilege if it is to be extended at all. Harry M. Jewett, of Detroit, owner of a large refuge in the northern part of the state, urged co-operation and the burial of differences in the interest of increased game propogation.

The conference was presided over by Harry Harper, president of the Michigan league. It was attended by representatives of industrial, farming, sporting and other organizations.

Senator Norman Horton, father of the trespass act, asserted the time has arrived when the farmers must be relieved of the idea hunters are a nuisance by showing them there is a profit in it for them.

START TO PICK FRANKLIN JURY

Meanwhile, Identity of Living "Victim" Still A Mystery

Mountain View, Ark., Dec. 16 (AP)—While a grand jury sought to establish the identity of a man who claims to be the reputed murder victim, selection of a jury was started in circuit court here late today for the trial of four or five men charged with killing Connie Franklin.

When court recessed for the night, nine jurors had been accepted by both sides and forty veniremen questioned. The original panel was exhausted and an additional panel of ten was ordered summoned to appear at 8:30 a. m. tomorrow.

One Separate Case

Only four of the men are being tried. The other, Alex Fulks, is named in a separate indictment and his alleged connection with the case was said to be different from that of the others—Herman Greenway, Joe White, Hubert Hester and Bill Younger.

Questioning of the jurors was along usual lines except that both prosecution and defense counsel asked all whether they had fixed opinions as to the identity of the man calling himself Connie Franklin.

Before the trial was started late in the afternoon, the grand jury, reconvening simultaneously with the court, called before it the man who says he is Franklin. For two hours he was questioned by the grand jury and Prosecuting Attorney Hugh Williamson. Later in the day the grand jury called "Franklin" before it again, but he was not immediately available. It was expected he would be called again tomorrow.

Check Fingerprints

Following this, by agreement of prosecution and defense counsel, an official examination of the purported Franklin was made to establish if possible whether he was the M. Franklin who at one time was an inmate of the state hospital for nervous diseases. His teeth conformed with a dental chart taken from the hospital records and he was a hernia on the right side as shown in the records of M. Franklin. The record, however, showed the hospital inmate had a scar on the right side whereas this man has one on the left side.

His fingerprints also were taken and sent to the bureau of criminal identification at Washington to determine whether he has any criminal record.

Mother Enroute

The Connie Franklin, reported mutilated and burned to death on last March 9, has not been definitely identified as the former asylum inmate. However, the state hospital received a letter from a man signing himself Marrion Connie Franklin from St. James at the time the man who says he is Connie Franklin was there. It indicated the writer had been an inmate of the hospital and was described by hospital officials as the "ravings of a crazy man."

Another development, although it was not expected to have an important bearing on the case, was announcement by defense lawyers that the mother of the man claiming to be Franklin had been found at Clarendon, Ark., and was on her way here. She was quoted as saying however, she had not seen her son for several years. Her name was given as Mrs. Lily Baker and Franklin was a son by a former marriage.

After the grand jury questioning of "Franklin" Prosecutor Williamson said he was more convinced than ever the man was not the Connie Franklin reported slain.

FLY TO AFRICA

London, Dec. 16 (AP)—With two other long distance air expeditions already under way in search of new laurels, it was officially stated late tonght at Cramwell airdrome in Lincolnshire that weather conditions were distinctly favorable for a start at daybreak of a non-stop flight to South Africa.

A Royal Air Force Fairey monoplane stood ready for the attempt to reach South Africa probably before nightfall on Thursday.

LOSSES LIGHT IN MANCHURIA

Only One Killed by Russian Bombing of Hotel

Tokyo, Dec. 16 (AP)—Optimistic reports of conditions under Russian Soviet control west of the Khingan mountains in Manchuria, reached officials here today, detracting somewhat from other uneasiness at press reports of delays to the International consular train.

Latest reports to the Rengo News agency indicated that the train, carrying consular representatives of the United States, Japan, Great Britain, France and Germany, still was being held at Mientuho, the little town on the Chinese Eastern Railway which marks the western front of the Manchurian stand against the Russians.

The train was made up because of the lack of official reports on the status of foreigners in western Manchuria since the Chinese retreat, shortly after the middle of November. The Japanese foreign office had not received all of the dispatches sent by the consul at Manchuli, and understood he had been forbidden the privilege of sending his dispatches in code. Today, however, the consul's reports for November 26 and 27 arrived, saying the damage to Japanese Nationals had been confined to the dropping of a Russian shell on a Japanese hotel, killing a woman and wounding a man.

Carl Ben Eielson Search Crew Starts

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 16 (AP)—Canadian airmen enroute to Seattle today to start a search for Carl Ben Eielson and Earl Borland, down somewhere with their plane near North Cape, Siberia, have about a fifty per cent chance of being successful, Major Howard C. Deckard, who will send the three planes and eight fliers north, said today.

"Everything possible is being done to hasten the start," Major Deckard said. "We will have the first plane in the air 24 hours after its arrival at Fairbanks. We have what I believe is the pick of northern fliers and they are being equipped with planes that can go anywhere."

Messages from Nome today indicated that the only fear felt for Eielson and Borland, who were attempting to reach the fur trading ship Nanuk, frozen in the ice off North Cape, was that they had been injured when forced down. They carried a case each of eggs, ham and bacon for the crew of the ship besides the plane's emergency rations. They had a small gasoline stove and other equipment which would aid them.

Both men are experienced Alaskans, residents of the territory have pointed out, and could exist for months in a snowdrift under ordinary circumstances if not seriously injured in landing. It was the fear of a crackup that made Alaskans in Nome anxious for the search to get under way, the message said. The plane carried 18 cases cases of gasoline in the cabin as well as 160 gallons in the wings.

SENATOR CONFIDENT

Washington, Dec. 16 (AP)—Senator Heflin, Democrat, Alabama, said off the senate floor today that the action of the Democratic executive committee in Alabama in barring from the next primary candidates who failed to support the party nominees in 1926 would be "repudiated" at the polls.

JAPAN WOULD RETAIN SUBS

Underseas Craft Considered Necessary for Island Defense

Washington, Dec. 16 (AP)—Authoriative Japanese sources indicated tonight that the Far Eastern empire would enter the London naval parley prepared to sacrifice other categories if necessary to maintain the force of submarines considered vital for defensive purposes by the Tokio government.

The Japanese delegation to the conference, now here for conversations with American officials, probably will ask for a submarine fleet of 80,000 tons—the present approximate strength of Japan in this category.

A submarine fleet of this size is considered by the Japanese to be the minimum which would be necessary for the defense needs of their country in view of its island position and particular location.

Sacrifice Destroyers

Another type of war vessel which the Japanese are desirous of making an important part of their navy is the 10,000 ton cruiser. It has been indicated also that the present cruiser strength of 206,000 tons is considered by the Japanese to be the approximate level at which they would desire this category maintained.

This figure, under a 10-10-7 ratio in auxiliary ships as compared with 5-5-3 set for capital ships at the Washington arms conference, would be roughly that for the Japanese in the event cruiser "parity" between United States and reat Britain was established in the vicinity of 300,000 tons.

The destroyer and the small type cruiser are generally considered by sources close to the Japanese delegation to be the craft which the Tokyo government would be willing to sacrifice to secure their desires in larger cruisers and submarines.

One question which the delegation does not now plan to raise at the conference is that of the British naval base at Singapore.

DELEGATES OPTIMISTIC

Washington, Dec. 16 (AP)—Reijiro Wakatsuki, chief Japanese delegate to the London naval conference, issued a formal statement tonight on the general attitude of his government on the naval disarmament question. The text follows:

"The Japanese delegation wish to thank the government and people of the United States for the cordial welcome, both official and private, extended to them ever since they landed at Seattle a few days ago and are greatly impressed by the evidence of keen interest on the part of the American nation in the forthcoming naval conference in London.

"The whole Japanese nation are equally interested in the meeting and are eagerly and confidently anticipating that its noble objective will be attained in a just and effective manner.

Kellogg Pact Basis

"We are now very glad to be in Washington, enroute to London, and to have had the opportunity of paying our respects to the president of the United States, whose vision and initiative have been an important incentive to the calling together of the London gathering.

"The forthcoming meeting makes the Kellogg pact its starting point. Under that pact, the signatory powers are pledged to renounce war as an instrument of national policy and to settle all international disputes only by pacific means. To meet under such auspices is in itself a guarantee of success, for policies of disarmament are the natural consequences of the renunciation of war.

"Furthermore, it is expected that the participating powers are coming to the conference altogether with an open mind, reposing each in the other full faith and confidence in the justice and fairness of their respective international policies.

Advocates Slash

"There is therefore every reason for us to be sanguine as to the result of the London conference. The termination of competitive armaments and a positive reduction in naval strength may, we believe, be looked for as the outcome.

"Japan advocates reduction. She advocates scaling down the naval armaments of the participating powers, and she herself stands ready to reduce her naval strength proportionately.

"It goes without saying that, in so doing, she has to bear in mind the necessity of keeping undisturbed the sense of national security of the people. From this consideration she feels entitled to retain a minimum strength, insufficient for attack and only adequate for defense in home waters. The proposals of Japan at the forthcoming conference are based upon this principle alone. She is prepared to accept a ratio that is less than parity with the other great powers, and that gives clear proof of the entire absence of any thought of offensive operations.

"We are confident that an important progress will be effected at London in the great task of disarmament and of guaranteeing an enduring peace."

The German forecast that England would be engulfed by the sea on a resent Saturday so preyed on the mind of 80-year-old William Hall, of Newark, England, that his body was found in the Trent river on the Sunday following.

YULE BUYING IN U. S. SETS RECORD PACE

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states, according to Secretary LaMont of the department of commerce, is well over the figures for the same week of last year and also higher than the previous week.

There is every evidence that construction is going to have a record year in 1930 and that much of the labor laid off in the radio and automotive industries will find its way into construction. A vast amount of lumber is used in making radio sets and bodies of automobiles and skilled and unskilled workers in both those industries will be needed in construction in order that the supply of labor shall not be less than the demand.

Underlying Confidence.

In the radio industry there has been an overproduction which threatened difficulties long before the stock market crisis and what is now being characterized as a diminution of luxury buying is in reality believed to be a case of production running ahead of the actual needs of the consumer. Consolidations in the radio field are expected to stabilize the industry and there is already some talk of reorganization in the automobile field so as to keep supply and demand at a better balance.

On the whole there is an underlying confidence now in the business situation reflected by government officials, which is backed up by statistics gathered in the last thirty days, for it is realized that surmises and conjectures will not have the effect in instilling confidence as the fundamental data on current business operation.

BELIEVE MAN IS GANGSTER, BANK ROBBER

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Burke was acquitted of complicity in a $12,000 jewelry store robbery there early in 1925.

Chicago police wired St. Joseph authorities that officers should exercise extreme care in approaching Burke as he was dangerous. It is believed there that Burke will seek protection from members of the Al Capone gang.

Lost at Coloma

Discovery of Burke's real identity and recovery of the stolen securities in his house along with a small arsenal consisting of revolvers, sawed off shotguns, and machine guns, all came about because he hurried to the railroad station to meet a train bringing Viola Daniels, alias Viola Tene, who has been living with him as his wife.

Burke's automobile sideswiped one driven by Forrest Kool, of Buchanan. He did not stop and Kool took up the pursuit. Passing the police station Kool summoned Patrolman Charles Skelly's assistance. The latter jumped on the running board of Kool's car and caught up with Burke, placing him under arrest. Burke then drew a revolver and shot Skelly three times, speeding away. Six blocks away he wecked his car and transferred to the automobile of Monroe Wolf, a member of the House of David, whom he covered with a revolver and ordered to drive him into the country, doubling back into St. Joseph. He then came to the home of Steve Koonev, a neighbor, whom he forced to drive him to Coloma. There all trace of Burke was lost.

"Get That Guy"

Burke was known only as Dane to St. Joseph residents. A driver's license in his wrecked automobile led the police to his home where they discovered the stolen bonds and the firearms. The Daniels woman arrived at the home in a cab and was taken into custody but it was not until today that she admitted that Dane was really Burke. All Sunday she maintained she was Mrs. Frederick Dane. The woman, it was subsequently learned, served 12 years in the Missouri state penitentiary at Jefferson City for homicide. She is 37 years old.

Skelly died in a St. Joseph hospital three hours after the shooting. His last words were:

"Tell the boys to get that guy."

A first degree murder warrant has been sworn out for Burke.

Deputy Police Commissioner John Stege, of Chicago, and Patrick Roche, chief investigator for the Cook county states attorney's office, arrived in St. Joseph this afternoon to assist Sheriff Fred G. Bryant and St. Joseph police authorities in the hunt for Burke.

Police said tonight that the woman with Burke also carries an alias of Mattie Howard in her record.

WOMAN HAS "RECORD"

Kansas City, Dec. 16 (AP)—Mattie Howard, released from the Missouri state penitentiary in June, 1928, after she had served a term for the slaying of a wealthy diamond merchant here, was known to police as "Agate Eyes." She was sentenced to prison in 1921 for the murder of Joseph Morino.

After leaving the prison she married a Chicago gangster. It was said here that her husband was a man she had known in the underworld before she became involved in the murder of Morino and was sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary.

As a result of the unsatisfactory sugar market 30 mills in Cuba are idle this season and owners of 20 others say theirs are grinding for the last time unless conditions improve.

Tax Bill is Law; House Approves Building Program

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other two measures were approved by unanimous consent.

The authorization for postoffices would bring the total amount available for that purpose to $363,000,000, an amount which Elliott estimated would be sufficient for new buildings where needed in every city having postal receipts of $20,000 or more.

Beautify Capitol

The funds would be allocated by the postoffice and treasury departments which will consider applications of the various cities. Elliott announced that preference would be given to those cities having receipts between $10,000 and $20,000 where sites have been obtained.

The total for the District of Columbia, with today's authorization, would be $190,000,000. The capital building program contemplates development of federal property in the downtown section with special emphasis on beautifying the city, and erection of new homes for the labor, justice, army, navy and postoffice departments.

FRENCH DEBT SETTLED

Washington, Dec. 16 (AP)—Ratification of the agreement for refunding the $4,025,000,000 French war debt was voted today by the senate, thus enacting into law the last of the settlements negotiated by the United States debt commission.

The 53 to 21 ballot followed a brief debate during which Senator Howell, Republican, Nebraska, assailed the terms as too lenient and protested that the settlement amounted almost to cancellation.

The agreement was negotiated by a special French commission headed by former Ambassador Berenger, with the American commission under the leadership of Secretary Mellon. It provides for payments for a 62-year period, the total with interest amounting to $6,847,674,104. France ratified the settlement last July.

Chairman Smoot of the finance committee sponsored the house bill ratifying the debt and said "the settlement represents France's ability to pay." This was the basis of the debt accords negotiated by the debt commission.

Russia, Armenia Left

As a result of the settlements with the fifteen debtor nations, this country will receive $22,206,638 over a 62-year period on account of its wartime loans amounting to $9,862,316,802. The total funded indebtedness of the fifteen nations was put at $11,579,885, including interest due at the time of the settlements.

This will bring into the treasury annually something over $200,000,000, the agreements providing for payments on a graduated scale. Great Britain negotiated an agreement in 1922 for a 62-year refunding of its $4,600,000,000 debt. Russia and Armenia are the only two debtor nations which the loans negotiated under the Czarist regime.

The treasury today received payments amounting to $98,657,973 from nine foreign countries on account of their war debt settlements. Great Britain paid $93,795,000 in making its fourteenth semi-annual payment. The remainder was paid as follows:

Belgium, $1,375,000, Czechoslovakia, $1,500,00; Esthonia, $125,000; Finland, $183,680; Hungary, $40,218; Latvia, $45,000; Lithuania, $94,075, and Poland, $1,500,000.

TARIFF AFTER HOLIDAYS

Washington, Dec. 16 (AP)—Temporarily laid aside today in the senate, the long disputed tariff bill was promised an uninterrupted right-of-way after the Christmas recess in an agreement entered into by the leaders of all factions.

Despite the general understanding to give the tariff an undisputed claim on the senate after the holidays, little hope was held out tonight that it could be passed much before February and finally enacted into law after a conference between the senate and house before the first of April.

VILLAGE ASKS FOR DAMAGES

Wider Woodward Brings Suit From Birmingham Interests

Lansing, Mich., Dec. 16 (AP)—Two claims growing out of the widening of Woodward Avenue, totalling $84,000, were placed before the claims committee of the state administrative board todoy. The Briggs Commercial Development Company, owners of a theatre in Birmingham, complained it was forced to shuttle the structure back and forth as widening lines changed. First it was decided to make the street 100 feet wide and construction of the theatre was started. The administrative board then amended the width to 150 feet. The work done was abandoned and the theatre was started on the 150 foot line. Finally the width was changed back to 100 feet and the building was constructed there. The company asks $67,000 damages.

The village of Birmingham, represented by J. W. Perry, manager, asked $17,000 to reimburse it for the cost of water service pipes. The land for widening the street was given gratis, with the understanding there would be no expense to the village. The wider pavement covered the water mains and service pipes had to be installed. Frank F. Rogers, former highway commissioner, and other state witnesses testified that there was an agreement that the village would be put to no expense.

A request for $3,000 for damage to his yacht when it crashed into a draw bridge at Charlevoix last summer was filed by Logan G. Thompson, of Hamilton, Ohio. The question involved was whether the yacht whistled for the bridge to open.

NINE OF LIST PLEAD GUILTY; SIX ASK TRIAL

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Mark H. Kelly, former assistant cashier; J. W. Barron, and F. A. Plumb, former tellers.

The tellers who, like De Camp, chose to stand trial were Robert P. Brown, son of the former president; Robert H. D. McDonald, Farrell A. Thompson, George P. Woodhouse and Donold McGregor.

NOMINATION APPROVED

Washington, Dec. 16 (AP)—The senate today approved the nomination of Heinrich A. Pickert to be collector of customs at Detroit, Mich.

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URGES PUBLIC TO SORT MAIL

Aids Clerks If Outgoing and Local Letters Are Separated

If the general public wishes to cooperate with postoffice employees during the rush Christmas season, it can do so by sorting the outgoing and local mail into separate bundles before taking the mail to the postoffice, according to Anton Embs, superintendent of mails at the Escanaba postoffice.

It also will be a great help if the envelopes are bundled with rubber band or twine with the faces up. This relieves the postal clerks of the tedius task of separating letters for local delivery from those going to points outside of the city. The patrons should be careful to place the mail for out-of-town in the "outgoing" slot and others for persons in the city in the "city" slot. If the bundles of mail are too large to be pushed through the slot, they may be handed to the clerk at the window.

The Christmas rush season is already under way. A branch station for the handling of incoming parcel post packages was opened yesterday at the Delta Motor company's front display room. An extra delivery truck will be put into service. Quite a large amount of Christmas present mail is being received here already.

Stenotype Champion Demonstrates Speed For Kiwanis Club

Clem Boling, world's champion Stenotype operator, demonstrated to members of the Escanaba Kiwanis club, that taking dictation at a speed of 275 words a minute is child's play for an expert equipped with one of the "machine shorthand" devices. Mr. Boling, standing easily at a table, made his fingers dance on the keyboard while T. E. Strom read rapidly from material with which both men were unfamiliar. Mr. Boling's operation of the machine and the ease with which he read the notes back to the club were astonishing.

The average conversation is carried on at a rate of about 150 to 175 words a minute, Mr. Boling said. Letters dictated at this natural pace are usually better composed and more effective, he said, but few pencil shorthand writers can copy that rapidly. Use of the Stenotype machine, he said, permits the rapid, conversational speed in dictating.

Mr. Boling answered many questions about the machine and its advantages over "muscular" shorthand.

He was introduced by Lloyd Walker, head of Cloverland Commercial College, who induced him to come to Escanaba at this time. In the afternoon he gave a demonstration at Escanaba high school.

The recent hurricane in the Bahamas has caused serious damage to sponge boats and sponge beds, and practically wiped out the sponge industry of the islands.

For descending 70 feet in a disused well and rescuing a sheep dog, Henry J. White of Bishop's Lydeard, England, has been presented a medal by the Royal Humane Society.

A one-day de luxe express railway service has just been established between Batavia and Soeravaya, Netherland East Indies.

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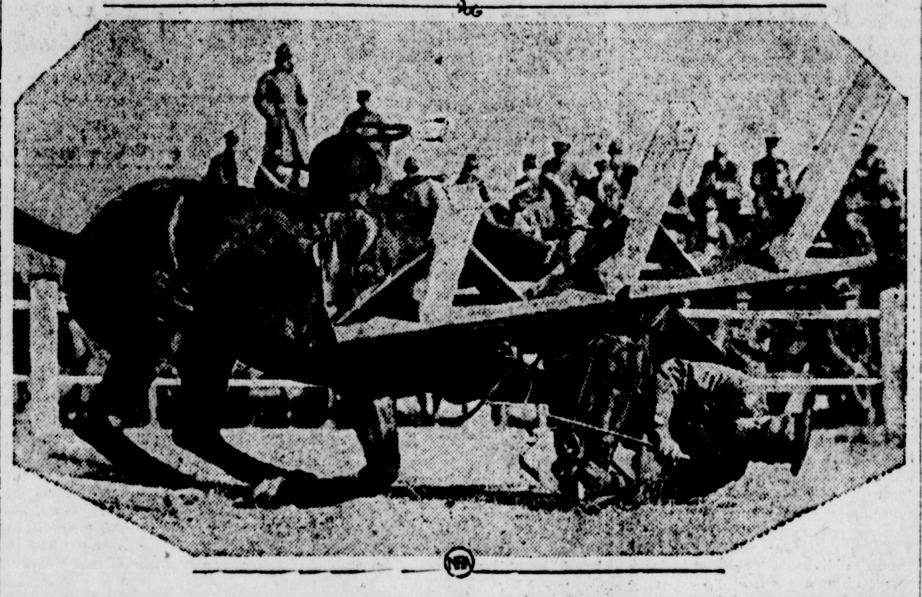

One might think, at first glance, that this is the latest picture of the Prince of Wales—but it isn't. This remarkable bit of action photography shows a U. S. cavalryman at Fort Bliss, N. M., getting a nasty spill while trying to take a hurdle. Fort Bliss is near El Paso, Tex.

Ford River Switch

Ford River Switch, Dec. 16.—(By Special Correspondent)—Mrs. Henry Kasten, Grace and Lorayn Kasten were business callers in Escanaba on Saturday.

Mr. Faucett of Woodlawn visited at the home of Mr. Felix Bedard and Leo Bedard.

Mrs. Archie Hendrickson and daughter Elizabeth, transacted business on Saturday.

There was a birthday party at the home of Mrs. Alex Peterson at West Ford River. The party was composed of friends from the neighborhood.

Antonio Holmes visited in Ford River Saturday.

The fisherman fishing on the bay out of Ford River, have their difficulties due to ice which has piled up in the harbors.

Joseph, John and Henry Van Enkevort of West Depere, Wis., Mrs. Herman Vandenburg, Oneida, Mrs. James Garrity, Kaukauna, Wis., were summoned here during the illness of their mother, Mrs. Albert Van Enkevort.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Van Enkevort, Julia and Alice Van Enkevort motored to West DePere, Wisconsin on Friday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Albert Van Enkevort.

Felix Bedard has been busy the past week keeping the roads open to traffic.

Because his blood ceased to function, although no clinical apparatus could detect the trouble, a man died recently at Battersea, England, the doctor explaining that it was a rare case of blood having turned to water and leaking through the tissues.

Glass walls and doors, furniture made of metal and glass, and a foundation illuminated by colored lights are features of a novel house planned by a lecturer at Cambridge University in England.

Harold Cass Named Editor of Kazoo's Annual Publication

Harold Cass of Escanaba, senior at Western State Teachers College of Kalamazoo, has been chosen as the editor of the 1930 Brown and Gold, the college annual, which is the second largest in the state.

Mr Cass has been unusually active in student affairs at Western State. For two years he has been a sport editor on the College New Bureau staff, and last year was editor of sports for the Herald, the college weekly publication. Mr. Cass is also the historian of the Forum and the secretary of the Oteyokwa club.

During his high school days at Escanaba, Mr. Cass was the sport editor of the Escanaban, and also of his high school paper.

At a special service in St. Michael's church, Cornhill held to invoke the Divine blessing on the work and industry of London, among those attending were the Lord Mayor, the Sheriffs and other members of the City Corporation.

Bradford, England, municipal electricity departments are renting electric cookers to housekeepers.

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Konjola is sold in Escanaba at People's drug store, and by all the best druggists in all towns throughout this entire section.

SOCIAL

Entertain Children

The Chicago and North Western Woman's club were hostesses to the children of members at a Christmas party Monday afternoon at Fredenberg's hall.

The children enjoyed Santa Claus' visit, and kept him busy answering kuestions. In turn Santa was entertained with songs and readings. Dainty refreshments were served. Mrs. C. J. Tolan was chairman of the committee in charge of the party and was assisted by Mesdames Baker, Norvall and Valentine.

Elaborate plans are being made for the Christmas dance, December 27. The club members are making every effort to make this a genuine Christmas party. The dance will be supervised and a special invitation is extended to high school students, North Western employes, their families and friends.

As the result of pricking her thumb with a rose thorn, Mrs. M. J. Furfield died recently at Lewes, England.

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SCARLET FEVER CAUSES DEATH

Donald John Honeywell, 16, Bark River, Passes Away

Donald John Honeywell, 16 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Honeywell of Bark River, died at a local hospital Monday morning at 1:40 o'clock, following a ten days illness due to scarlet fever and pneumonia.

He had been attending the Escanaba high school as a Junior and was popular with the faculty and student body. His death was a severe shock to members of the family and fellow students.

Private funeral services were held at the Anderson Funeral Home Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock with Rev. R. C. G. Williams, pastor of the First M. E. church officiating.

He is survived by his bereaved parents, three brothers and one sister, Gordon, Russell, Robert and Ardith at home.

Burial was in Riverside cemetery at Menominee with Rev. Herbert Barry of Menominee officiating at the services at the grave.

Norlin Appointed Assistant Picture Editor of Annual

Alvin Norlin, sophomore at Western State Teacher's College, has been named assistant picture editor of the 1930 Brown and Gold, the college annual, which is the second largest in the state.

Norlin has been very active in college affairs since coming to Western a year ago. He was a member of the frosh track team last year which turned in a fine record and is looked to this year as possible varsity material for the Western thin clads. Norlin also is a member of the Forum, college forensic organization, and belongs to the Oteyokwa Club, a popular campus body.

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CITY BRIEFS

R. V. Russell was a visitor at Iron Mountain Friday.

Miss Katherine Gallagher will return this morning from a ten-day visit in Ann Arbor and Detroit.

Thomas Connors of Negaunee was a business caller here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. McPherson of Racine, Wis., who spent the week end here with relatives have left for their home.

Oscar Newlin, Emil Newlin and son of Wallace have returned to their homes after a visit at the Herman Carlson home, So. 18th street.

Mrs. Elof Anderson of Iron Mountain has left for her home after a brief visit at the home of relatives in the city.

Miles Thomas has returned from a business trip at Detroit and Grand Rapids, Mich.

Miss Ruth Newlin has returned to her home at Wallace after attending the funeral of her nephew Stanley Carlson.

Mr. and Mrs. Torval Kellerson of Gladstone, Mr. and Mrs. Elof Nelson, and Arthur Newlin of Menominee have returned to their homes after attending the funeral of a relative in this city.

Miss Cora Johnson of Detroit is spending the holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Johnson, 1430 Sheridan road.

In protest against the entertainment tax many motion-picture theatres in Germany were closed during July.

Flowers as Presents

Flowering plants make good Christmas presents. Cyclamen flowering bulbs, poinsettia pans, primulas, and azaleas may all be used.

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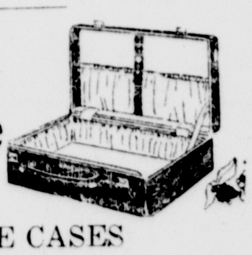

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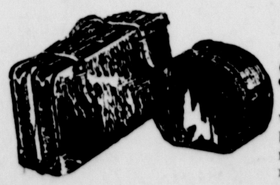

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BUSINESS SPEEDS UP.

FIGURES compiled by the United States government indicate that the nation is in the midst of one of the busiest retail buying months in its history. Fears that the stock market depression would slow up Christmas buying have proven groundless. Reports gathered from retail establishments in all parts of the country and compiled in Washington show, conclusively, that there is no reason for pessimism, anywhere.

Escanaba has particular reasons for optimism. There has been no industrial depression in this locality. The community has not had, at any time, an acute unemployment problem. Reopening of the night shift at the I. Stephenson Company's plants at Wells and the expansions at the Birdseye Veneer Company, together with resumption of activities by other seasonal industries, expected within a few weeks, will carry ahead at full speed.

The next week, immediately preceding Christmas, will be one of the busiest down-town Escanaba has ever experienced and the entire community will enter, confidently and briskly, into the New Year.

DELAY UNJUSTIFIED.

NOW THAT the senate has finally and definitely rejected Vare there remains one question to ask—why all the delay?

The case hung fire for three years. Not once was there any chance that Vare would be admitted. The verdict from the first was a foregone conclusion. Yet the thing dragged on for three years and in all of that time, Pennsylvania was deprived of the services and the representation one senator could have given.

Whether the senate was justified in barring its doors to Vare is a debatable question. There were many who believed that Pennsylvania had a right to send Vare, or anybody else it selected, to the senate.

But there can be no debate on the delay. There was no acceptable reason for taking more than a month to settle the thing.

PEOPLE ARE READING.

FEARS that the talkies, the night clubs, radio and bridge were making severe inroads into the leisure time of the American people at the expense of reading and study, appear to be groundless. A New York statistician has compiled figures which show that the total circulation of books and magazines sold in the United States this year will be the largest in history. New magazines are springing up almost daily, and there is a definite trend in books towards history, biography and scientific subjects, the survey shows.

There are indications, too, that folks are reading because they like to read. One of the leading weekly magazines advertises that ninety percent of its tremendous circulation is from the news stands and that it does not attempt to sell yearly subscriptions. Millions of copies of other publications are sold in the same way.

Some critics may complain of the quality of the nation's reading, but there can be little apprehension about the quantity. The American people ARE reading.

LIVING WORDS.

THE National Congress of India, according to press reports, has adopted an independence resolution which embodies, word for word, a great deal of the American declaration of independence, signed 153 years ago.

Just how far this is going to get the Indians is a question. The British government is not apt to loosen its hold on the rich Indian peninsula without a struggle. The independence resolution may turn out to be only an ineffective gesture.

Nevertheless, the event is interesting to Americans; interesting because it proves once more that our own declaration of independence—the document on which our national existence is based—is still a living, breathing reality.

We take it too much for granted. As school children we pored over it reluctantly. Fourth of July orators have done their best to murder it. Most of us can repeat the first sentence or two—and after that it's just a haze of words. We don't know what's in it and we don't care.

But it is, really, quite a document.

It is not at all dignified and stately. It is angry, passionate, almost hysterical. In it the early colonists summed up their conception of freedom and flung it in the face of a king. They dared to insist that freedom was an inalienable right for which people was entitled to fight. And, phrasing their protest in a way to stir the imaginations of men, they produced something that still shines with bright promise for disinherited folk everywhere.

Words are powerful things. They survive, somehow, when they are put together right; survive kings, the kingdoms, and armies and war fleets. Our declaration of independence, signed in the shadow of the gallows a century and a half ago, is today something that people half way around the world find a trumpet call and an emblem of promise. It is not our possession, exclusively. We gave it to the world, and it is still at work.

There is this to remember, too; it might work for us again, some day, if it ever becomes necessary. There are one or two developments in present-day life that do not look exactly favorable for democracy and liberty. The old phrases that fired the colonists' hearts in 1776 may do the same thing again.

The declaration of independence, in other words, has not stopped working. It is something for the foes of freedom to take into account.

AN INVESTIGATION IS NEEDED.

WE had almost forgotten about Haiti. Our marines have been there for a good many years, and we had nearly lost track of them. Now, however, that troublous island nation is restive again, and 500 tanned young men from Norfolk and Paris Island are going down there to sit on the safety valve.

This would be an excellent time for Congress to adopt President Hoover's advice and undertake a searching investigation of the whole situation, finding out just what we are doing and setting forth some definite policy which we can follow in the future.

The present situation doesn't seem to be so very satisfactory to anybody. It is time that we looked into all the facts and decided just what we are going to do.

An American safety razor company has obtained a concession to build a big factory in Russia, and if you have never been able to picture a clean-shaven Bolshevik you'd better start imagining right now.

This is the time of year when a man wonders whether he ought to buy new license plates for his car or leave it in the street and forget about it.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS:

It isn't easy for a bride to look happily married if her husband likes onions.

The Christmas Dinner

By William L. Gaston

The big house on the hill was full of Christmas. In every room festoons of greenery, poinsettias and holly wreaths vied with candles, bells and tinsel to make more radiant the festive scene and increase the Christmas spirit. There were two great cedar trees in the hall, one on either side of the mantel, and both were decorated and overburdened with a harvest of Christmas cheer.

The last one of fifty expected boys had just arrived—fifty boys whose ages ranged from nine to thirteen years. They scarcely looked the scions of wealth and ease. The tragedy of struggle was deeply graven on every countenance and greatly over-aged their appearance. They were clothed in a nondescript array of long-worn garments, each article of which had been divorced from a former suit and handed down from a former owner. Patches, tatters and rags covered faded, oversized, buttonless shirts and constituted their full dress for the occasion. They were from the back streets and alleys and from bedrooms in woodsheds, warehouses and basements.

They were happy today. Each looked around upon the resplendent luxury with pop-eyed astonishment. It was all unreal and new to them. Down from the mantel behind trees came candy and nuts, and it was all for them. There was a pair of warm mittens for each boy, a cap and a pair of shoes with warm wool stockings for each one. Santa Claus distributed fifty new, crisp two-dollar bills, one to each boy and everybody was happy—happy for once.

A long table stretched through the dining room and the library, white covered and weighted down with a dinner that looked like the flare of heaven to the hungry boys. There were twenty-five chairs on each side of the table and one placed at the head to be occupied by the young hostess.

The young hostess was Miss Georgia Cadwell, eighteen years of age. She was the daughter of the late George Cadwell and possessed to full measure his generous spirit and keen alertness. Her father was born on Christmas and two years ago he had died on Christmas. One year ago she and her mother had given a dinner like this to the same number of homeless boys. Perhaps ten of those present today had been present a year ago.

Dinner was announced. A scramble for the chairs followed. Not schooled in the way of polite society or held in check by super manners, each boy secured a chair and but for the clanging of a bell the grabbing would have started. Miss Georgia asked the boys to stand up for a moment behind their chairs. When order was restored, she bowed her head and in a clear ringing voice, said:

Dear Jesus, Thou wert once a boy,
So come today and with us share
This feast of Christmas cheer and joy:
And we shall more enjoy the fare.

Then the boys fell into their chairs and about the same time fell upon the greatest dinner they had ever seen. Bowls of steaming soup disappeared. The waiters piled their plates with turkey and cranberry jelly, hot buns, brown gravy, roasted meats, and any kind of vegetable desired. This was followed by courses of plum pudding, mince pie, fruit cake and ice cream. Mints and nuts, apples and oranges climbed out of the baskets and slipped into grimy pockets for future reference. Appetites began to slow up. Stomachs never before guilty of over-inflation began to show distention and assume rotundity. Expressions such as, "Gee, I'm full" and "Golly, I wish I could eat some more," came with real sincerity from the stuffed diners.

Miss Georgia rose and said, "Now, boys, if you will be quiet a moment I have a story to tell you. I think that perhaps ten of you were here a year ago today and will remember the story, but I will tell it again and hope to tell it again and again on each returning Christmas for years to come.

"Up until two years ago when my father died, I had never known anything but a happy Christmas. But it was not so with my father. He was often cold and hungry, and Santa Claus brought him no presents. He never remembered his father and his mother was very poor; and when she died daddy had no home and no friends to help him. He found a place to sleep in the back shed of an old warehouse and a kind old man gave him a quilt and a blanket that were little better than rags. He ran errands and did odd jobs for which he got a few nickels and pennies.

"His name was George, but most of those who knew him never heard his name, because he was generally called 'the alley kid.' 'The alley kid' knew that there was a Christmas for most boys and girls, but he had never had one. The day he was ten years old was Christmas. It was a cold day, and daddy had no presents and no breakfast. Everything in the garbage cans was frozen. He wandered about in the cold and watched the happy crowds go by, but they brought nothing for him. He was cold and hungry; sometimes tears came into his eyes, but he brushed them away lest somebody should see them.

"In the afternoon a little girl came down the street, carrying a basket of little boxes filled with candy and nuts for poor children in that section of the city. She saw him and gave him a box of candy. Childlike she asked him what he got for Christmas.

"'I didn't get nothin',' replied the shivering boy 'I never had no Christmas.'

"'Did you have a Christmas dinner?' asked the little girl.

"'I ain't had nothin' today.'

"'You can come to my house and my mamma will give you some dinner,' and suiting action to the invitation, she pulled at his arm, and George followed her rather reluctantly into a better part of the city and into a big warm home. George was soon eating the first Christmas dinner he had ever had. The little girl's papa talked kindly to George, and that night he was given a bath, a new suit of clothes, and for the first time since he could remember he slept in a clean, warm bed.

"The rest of the story is soon told. George never went back to the old alley to live or sleep. That little girl was my mamma. Her papa gave George a chance to work and let him go to school. He grew to be a fine boy. He was taught to tell the truth, to be honest and industrious. He became a smart business man. On Christmas day when he was twenty-one years old there was a big wedding in the home where he had had his first Christmas dinner, and he was married to the little girl. He worked hard and was honest, and every Christmas he and my mamma used to carry a basket of food and nice things to the poor people in the part of the city where daddy used to live. Daddy worked until he got to be president of the big bank where he first began to work. Before he died he told me this story and said he wanted mamma and me to help poor boys who had no homes to have a good Christmas. So daddy was born on Christmas, found his first friend on Christmas, ate his first good dinner on Christmas, was married on Christmas and died on Christmas. When he had money of his own he made a happy Christmas for as many as he could.

"With each returning Christmas mamma and I will do what we can to carry out daddy's plan to make a happy Christmas for homeless boys. We want you boys to grow up to be honest men, to be successful in business and in turn to make a happy Christmas for other poor boys.

"If nothing happens, there will be another dinner here next Christmas, and all of you are welcome to come again."

AMUSEMENTS

AT THE DELFT.

Harry Carr, well-known west coast newspaper man, and Edwin Justus Mayer, playwright, who will be especially remembered for "The Firebrand," wrote the titles for Corinne Griffith's most elaborate picture of her career, "The Divine Lady," now at the Delft.

The screen adaptation of this famous E. Barrington novel is by Forrest Halsey. Frank Lloyd directed. The cast supporting Miss Griffith reads like a "Who's Who of Moviedom," including such well-known names as Victor Varconi, H. B. Warner, Ian Keith, William Conklin, Marie Dressler, Dorothy Cummings, Evelyn Hall and Michael Vavitch.

"The Divine Lady" covers a number of years in the life of Emma Hart, the daughter of a cook, who married Lord Hamilton, English ambassador, at the Court of Naples and became the inspiration of Lord Nelson and one of the most celebrated beauties of all history.

AT THE STRAND.

"The First Night," a farce comedy of an eloping young couple who are trying to dodge a revenge-seeking rival for the girl's hand and heart, will be shown at the Strand again today.

The principal roles, that of the young couple are admirably handled by Bert Lytell and Dorothy Devore and capably assisted by such well known screen players as Walter Hiers, Harry Myers, Frederick Kovert, Lila Leslie, Hazel Keener, Joan Standing, Nellie Bly Baker and James Mack. The picture was ably directed by Richard Thorpe from the story by Frederica Sagor.

After the reception Senator Nye gave him when he became a member of the Senate, Mr. Grundy is probably more convinced than ever that senators from the western grain states should talk darned small.

Now read the Classified page.

HEALTH

In Great Britain, as in our own country, there has raged in recent years a controversy as to whether people ought to eat brown bread or white bread.

Specialists in physiology and in diet believe that the controversy has generated more heat than light. Nevertheless, certain facts have been well established and these must be taken into consideration as the basis for any controversy.

The upholders of brown bread argue that it is better than white because it contains more of certain kinds of proteins and more vitamins, mineral matter and roughage.

The people who support white bread admit these things, but they point out that the human being does not live on bread alone and that therefore it is unnecessary to choose brown bread when all of the important factors can be had from other things in the diet.

Whether as a result of advertising propaganda or other means of promotion, the average Anglo-Saxon prefers to eat white bread. In addition to brown bread and white bread there is whole wheat bread, for which the same arguments can be made as are made for brown bread.

In order to get some scientific evidence on the subject, Drs. G. A. Hartwell and V. H. Mottram of the University of London fed white rats in the laboratory standard diets similar to those used by laborers, except that the quantities were suitable to the size of the rat, and associated with these were white bread and brown bread.

The experiments indicated that the rats fed on brown bread do not do any better than those on white bread; there was but small increase in growth, and there were physical and nervous symptoms in the rats living on predominating brown bread diet which indicated something in the nature of an imbalance.

As a result of their experiments, the British investigators are convinced that the propaganda for brown bread as a part of the diet of the working class is without scientific foundation.

LYRICS OF LIFE

-:- By Douglas Malloch -:-

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THIS SIDE AND THAT.

On this side I put down each day
All I received for all I sold,
On that side all I had to pay—
But then the tale is hardly told.
My books perhaps may show a loss,
Perhaps I gave my gold for dross,
But other things I have been at
To put on this side or on that.

On this side I put down the smiles,
On that perhaps a sneer or two,
On this side all the merry miles
I walked, on this the lonely few.
On this side I put down the kind,
The good, the friendly folk I find,
On that side maybe two or three
Whoweren't quite so nice to me.

On this side are the sun, the sky,
The good green earth, the tree, the rose,
On that a hill a bit too high,
Perhaps some little gale that blows.
Should I put down a part of life
The gain might not be worth the strife,
But, oh, the profit I recall
When I put down not part but all!

Mayor of a Wisconsin town, announcing that checkers is a dangerous form of gambling, prohibits it in all public places. Next thing, no doubt, that town will have a firemen's strike on its hands.

A congressman indicted for alleged use of the mails to defraud. When his trial comes, however, we'll doubtless discover that the suitcase really belonged to his brother.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

By Ahern

MR. AND MRS. GIMBLER ARE VERY CHARMING AND INTELLECTUAL PEOPLE — A CREDIT TO THIS HOUSE AS BOARDERS! — AND I HOPE, JACOB, THAT YOU WILL BE CAREFUL OF YOUR CONVERSATION WITH THEM — AND DON'T TALK OF COMMONPLACE SUBJECTS — NOR USE THE VERNACULAR OF THE POOL ROOM! — SPEAK IN A REFINED MANNER!
GIMBLER'S MUG IS FAMILIAR TO ME — I'VE SEEN IT SOMEPLACE BEFORE — AN' IT WASN'T AT A CHURCH SOCIAL, EITHER! — YEP, I KNOW HIS PAN — AN' I'LL PLACE IT YET! — LET ME SEE NOW — HM-M-UM- — CHICAGO, — -DETROIT- — UM-M-
THEY MIGHT BE BONDED STUFF, BUT THEY DON'T HAVE TO PUT TH' CHILL AN' HAUGHTY ON US! — WE KEPT THIS MERRY-GO-ROUND RUNNING BEFORE THEY GOT ON! — THEY'RE TH' KIND THAT WOULD TRY TO USE TH' BROAD 'A' IF THEY TALKED FINGER LANGUAGE!
GENE AHERN
12-16
JAKE SCENTS SOMETHING:

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

By Martin

WELL—YOU JUST COME WITH ME AN' WE'LL SEE SANTA AN' YOU CAN TELL 'IM ALL ABOUT IT
DIDYA GET MY LETTER?
SANTA, THIS'S LITTLE BOBBY SMITH
WELL! WELL! SO IT IS! I REMEMBER I WAS AT YOUR HOUSE LAST YEAR
YES SIR! AN' THIS YEAR, I'D LIKE A HORN, AN' A 'LECTRIC TRAIN, AN' SOME SKATES, AN'—AN' A GUN, AN'———
WAIT, NOW—I DON'T WANT TO MISS ANYTHING—A HORN—ELECTRIC TRAIN—SKATES—GUN———
ALL RIGHT, BOBBY—I'LL REMEMBER! BUT, NOW—LET'S SEE—AHEM! HAVE YOU BEEN A GOOD BOY THIS PAST YEAR?
WELL—I!—YOU CAN LEAVE OUT TH' HORN, AN' I DON'T HAVE TO HAVE TH' SKATES—— BUT, GEE, MR. SANTA CLAUS—I WISH YOU'D BRING ME TH' REST OF TH' THINGS!
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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

By Blosser

SCAR HAS BEEN AWARDED THE FREE TRIP TO WASHINGTON IN THE ESSAY CONTEST AND IS WAITING TO HEAR JUST WHEN THE TRIP IS TO BEGIN.... MEANWHILE
Y'KNOW WHAT I'M GOING TO WEAR WHEN I GO AWAY, FRECKLES? BOY! IT'LL BE SWELL!
S'POSE YOU'LL WEAR THAT BIG FUR COAT OF YOURS-
OH, I SHOULD SAY NOT!! I'M GOING TO GET MYSELF A SKATING HAT!!
SKATING HAT?? I NEVER HEARD OF SUCH A THING —YOURE MAKIN' SOMETHING UP NOW!!
HE!
NO I'M NOT—NO I'M NOT—JUST COME DOWN TO HINKEL'S STORE AN' I'LL SHOW YOU!!
MUST BE SOMETHING NEW THEN!!
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THERE!
ICE DERBY
A GALA OCCASION FOR ALL DEVOTEES OF THE ICE—FIFTY PRIZES TO BE WON SUNDAY DEC. 22 WADE PARK
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BRIEFLY TOLD

Immaculate Conception of Sodality: The Immaculate Conception of Sodality of the St. Patrick's church will hold a Christmas party at the church parlors this evening starting at eight o'clock. Social diversions will include games and dancing followed by lunch. Each girl is asked to bring a toy for the orphans for Christmas.

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Roof Fire—The Escanaba fire department was called out Sunday afternoon to the home of O. F. Loeffler, 914 South Fourteenth street, to extinguish a roof fire. Slight damage was done.

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Class Reunion—Members of the 1924 graduating class of the Escanaba high school will hold a reunion banquet at the Ludington hotel at 6:15 o'clock Thursday evening, Dec. 26. The program is now being arranged.

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To Attend Meet—Joseph E. Turner, county agricultural agent, left Sunday to attend the state conference of county agents and extension workers at Lansing. The meeting will be held from Dec. 17 to 20.

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Services at Woodlawn — A preaching service will be held at Woodlawn school house Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Rev. John Hugo will be in charge.

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Ladies' Bowling League—Members of the various teams of women bowlers will enjoy "Ladies Night" at the Arcade recreation parlors this evening. Several teams are planning to bowl at this time.

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W. R. C. Meeting—The regular meeting of the Women's Relief Corps will be held at Grenier's hall Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Election of officers will be held and plans for Christmas work will be completed. Members are urged to attend this meeting as the work cannot be carried on if the attendance is not large enough.

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Christmas Program—Students of the Jefferson school will give a Christmas program at the high school auditorium this evening. The exercises will begin at 7:30 o'clock. The public is invited to attend.

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North Star Society—Election of officers will take place at a meeting the North Star society tonight instead of Friday.

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Auxiliary Meeting—The Ladies Auxiliary to the B. of L. F. will hold a meeting at Grenier's hall Wednesday evening at which time it is expected that all members will be present. Election of officers will be held.

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Wolves Killed — Trappers are starting to bring in wolves for the $20 bounty offered by the county. W. J. Martin of Rapid River and Andrew Erickson, Ford River road, each collected a bounty recently.

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Meeting Today—The Ladies Auxiliary of the First Baptist church will hold a business meeting at the home of Mrs. W. H. Dickson, 1016 Eighth avenue south, at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

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Returns From Meet — John A. Lemmer returned yesterday from Lansing, where he attended the state meeting of high school principals.

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Carols Sung—A large crowd attended the Christmas Carols program at the Escanaba high school auditorium Sunday afternoon. The event was sponsored by the boys' and girls' glee clubs of the Escanaba high school under the direction of Miss Ruth Sundwick and R. P. Bowers of the music department.

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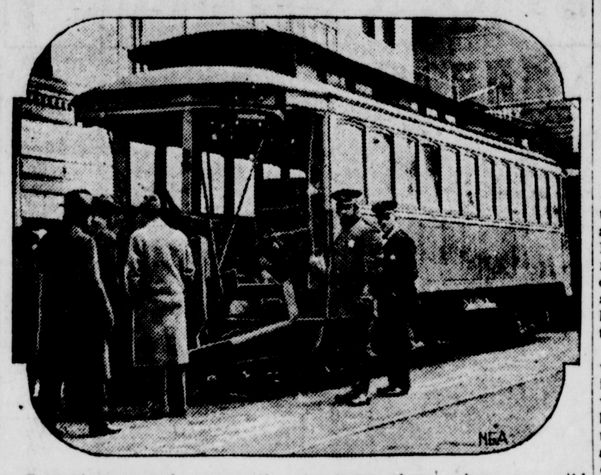
Girl Scout Headquarters — Miss Mary E. Morton, Girl Scout Director announced yesterday that the headquarters for the Girl Scouts will be at 712 Ludington street where desk space has been alloted the organization. The telephone number is 832 Miss Morton will be at the office from 9 to 12 a. m. and 1 to 3 p. m.

TROLLEY IN WILD TWO-MILE DASH



Careening around curves, the street car shown above ran wild with 25 passengers at full speed through two miles of dangerous traffic after a collision with a truck in Cincinnati. The crash, which seriously injured the motorman, smashed controls of the car, and only luck and active wits saved the passengers from injury. While two motorists sped ahead, signalling other vehicles off the track, the conductor and passengers pried a board from the floor and shoved the board through the opening, scraping it against the wheels, bringing the runaway to a halt.

G. I. A. Meeting—The regular meeting of the G. I. A. to the B. of L. E. will be held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at Grenier's hall. After short business session cards will be played. Awards for high scores will be given and a Christmas tree with gifts for the members will be part of the afternoon's diversions. Lunch will be served. Five hundred and bridge will be the games played.

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D. of I. Pound Donation—A committee of members of Trinity Circle Daughters of Isabella will be at the K. of C. club rooms today from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. to receive the packages and gifts for the Christmas baskets which they will deliver to the poor families of the city and surrounding community.

Any one who wishes to donate for this worthy cause may send or bring one pound of food or if they prefer they may donate money towards the baskets.

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E. F. U. Meeting—There will be a meeting of the E. F. U. tonight at Grenier's hall. A dance for members and their friends will follow. A large attendance is desired.

Billiards in Plane, New Detroit Stunt

Detroit, Dec. 14 (AP)—Playing billiards in an airplane is a "stunt" which will be attempted here tomorrow, with Ralph Greenleaf, former world's champion pocket billiard player, at the cue.

Arrangements were made to set up a table in a 12-passenger plane which will take off from Ford airport tomorrow morning. Greenleaf, who is here for the championship tournament, has had previous experience as a flyer and expects to be able to play among the clouds.

Stanley E. Knauss, vice president of the Stout Air Lines, who helped arranged the affair, regards it as more than a "stunt." He declared that it is an experiment which may indicate the practicability of offering billiards as an amusement for passenger planes.

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In cooperation with local authorities, Troopers Edgar Welsch and Lawrence LaLonde of the Marquette state police detachment are conducting a vigorous campaign against motorists' operating automobiles with defective lighting equipment in Delta county.

In the winter when stormy weather hampers a driver's vision, it is important that motor vehicles have all the required lights in operation. Tail-lights must be kept lighted so as to avoid the rear end collisions that occur frequently when snow is falling. The drive is also being aimed at "one-eyed" automobiles, which also cause many traffic accidents. Other traffic law violations are being checked up.

The state troopers arrested Carl Behrend of Gladstone for having improper license plates, and Matt Holstrom of Gladstone for operating his car with only one headlight. They paid fines in Justice of the Peace Phil Huny's court.

Harry Buckholtz of Escanaba paid a fine in Justice of the Peace H. E. Ranguette's court yesterday morning on a charge of speeding in Stephenson avenue. He was nabbed by Troopers Welsch and LaLonde.

DEATH SUMMONS NIMA ERICKSON

14-Year-Old Stonington Girl Ill 2 Years with Diabetes

Nima Erickson, 14 year old daughter of Mrs. Anna Erickson of Stonington who was admitted to a local hospital Saturday afternoon in a critical condition died Monday morning at 4 o'clock after an illness of two years due to diabetes.

Besides her mother the survivors are six brothers and one sister, Mrs. Wm. Armstrong, Chicago, Ill., Nestor, Arvo, Paul and Roy at Stonington, Erick and Teuro in Finland.

The body will be removed from the Anderson Funeral Home to the Swedish Lutheran church at Stonington Thursday morning where funeral service will be held at two o'clock. Burial will be in Lakewood cemetery at Stonington.

Reverend Nelson of Gladstone will officiate.

Madame Lia Chung-kai, feminine Nationalist leader and generally known in China as the "Mother of the Revolution," visited Manila, P. I., recently, and was given an ovation of Filipino and Chinese feminist leaders.

Masonville Man Seriously Hurt

Dudley Neveu, 25, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Neveu of Masonville, was injured while working at Trout Lake near Haymeadow Saturday afternoon. While loading logs for the Northwestern Cooperage company a jammer broke on the loader and he sustained a fractured hip, also fractured ribs.

He was taken to St. Francis hospital where he is being cared for and will probably be laid up for some time.

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TRENARY NEWS

Trenary, Mich., Dec. 16.—(By Special Correspondent) — The Mathias township farmers held a Farmers meeting at the Trenary high school Monday night to determine how many car loads of lime will be needed by them on their farms.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hicks from Wilson, Mich., were Trenary callers this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fitzgerald of Bark River, Mich., were here attending the funeral of Clarence Twedale, who was killed here Friday, Dec. 6 by a buzz-saw breaking.

Sam Miner Jr. from Rapid River was seen on our streets recently.

Mr. Swanson, the Marshall Wells salesman from Marquette, was a Trenary caller this week.

Mrs. Gladys Johnson of Chatham who had her infant son to Ann Arbor, Mich., was called home to attend her brother Clarence Twedale's funeral.

Mrs. Amelia Pennfery from Canada was called home to attend the funeral of her brother, Clarence Twedale.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Slambo, one of our local service station gas dealers were Escanaba visitors Wednesday.

Mr. McLaughlin the walking boss for the Wisconsin Land and Lumber Co., Hermansville, Mich., at their camp No. 35 west of Trenary, is enjoying a visit from his father and mother.

Mr. Jeffries, the Standard Oil Co. field salesman was in Trenary Wednesday.

A sleigh ride party was enjoyed by a bunch of our young people on last Wednesday night. All reported a wonderful time.

Edgar Culver, the Limestone Township Supervisor and C. R. Little, the Mathias Township Supervisor, attended their usual board meeting on last Tuesday.

Mrs. Gladys Hall and Mr. Ben L. Gregg were Escanaba visitors last week.

Wm. Fitzgerald from north of Trenary bought a thorough-bred Guernsey calf in Ironwood last week.

Women Lead New Citizens Total

New York, Dec. 14 (AP)—The number of foreign-born women seeking citizenship in the United States is increasing steadily, while the number of men is decreasing, the League for American Citizenship announced today in a survey completed for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1929. The general calibre of the women applicants was of a higher grade and the percentage of denials was less than ever before, the report said.

There were 26,000 more aliens who sought citizenship in this country last year than the year before, a total of 280,645. Of that number, 224,197 were made citizens, 57,957 of them women.

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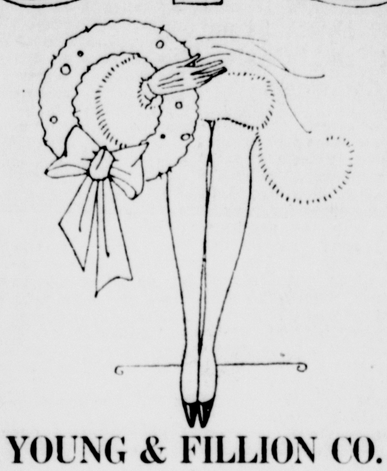

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CALL ATTENTION TO SPUD RULES

Retailers Must Stamp Weight and Grade on Containers

Attention of grocers and retailers to the new rules and regulations governing the sale of table stock potatoes commonly known as Irish potatoes, is being called by a state food inspector, who is traveling through the peninsula inspecting grocery stores and meat markets.

The law, which went into effect last August, requires potatoes sold in retail stores to be sold by weight and according to grade, the weight and grade to be stamped on the container.

Following are the new rules and regulations:

All table stock potatoes commonly known as Irish potatoes must be graded unless sold by the producer direct to the consumer.

There are three grades of table stock potatoes: U. S. Fancy Grade, U. S. No. 1 Grade and U. S. No. 2 Grade.

Potatoes must be graded and stamped on the premises where prepared for market. Preparation for market means proper grading and proper marking or stamping. When graded on the premises where prepared for market and when legibly and conspicuously labeled, stamped or tagged with the name and address of the person or persons responsible for the grading and packing, and the name of the grade, together with ture net contents, and are thus delivered to the grocer, or retailer, the grocer or retailer's responsibility then begins.

If the grocer or retailer sells potatoes properly graded from a sack or container properly marked and the sack or container remains in plain view of the purchaser so that such purchaser may ascertain and know that the potatoes are in fact graded and that he may know which grade of potatoes he is receiving and the name and address of the person responsible for the grading, the grocer is not required in such case to label or mark each individual package going to the consumer.

The grocer or retailer can not, however, empty potatoes from the sack above described into a bin or other receptacle or mix them with other potatoes unless he again grades such potatoes in accordance with the requirements of Act No. 220, public acts of 1929, and when selling same marks the individual packages going to the consumer as by law required.

The single instance in which the grocer is released from marking the individual packages going to the consumer is when he sells direct from the sack or container, already graded and properly marked and in view of the customer.

The stamp, label or tag used by the grocer or retailer shall be securely affixed to the package going to the consumer, and shall be printed in letters not less than three sixteenths of an inch standard type.

Miss McLaughlin Entertains Club

The Bridge Club composed of high schools girls was entertained Saturday afternoon by Miss Helen McLaughlin. Jean Fowler was awerded high honors and Alice Girvin received low score. A lunch was served after the game.

Eastern Stars to Initiate Class

Th Order of Eastern Star will initiate a class of candidates into the organization, at a meeting this evening at the Masonic hall. A social hour will follow the initiation and refreshments will be served.

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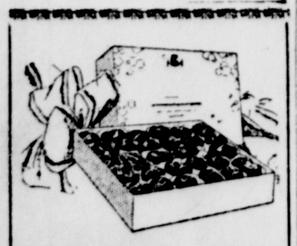

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CITY BRIEFS

Richard Larson returned to Chicago Saturday night after being called here by the death of his father, Herman Larson.

Rev. G. Walton has left the city to take up his residence in Menominee. Rev. Walton will continue as pastor of the local Episcopalian church conducting services here semi-monthly.

Miss Mona Bingham is confined at the F. N. Cookson home with an attack of the flu.

Miss Bernadette Wall left Friday for Muskegon and Detroit to visit friends. Miss Wall will return to the city after the holidays.

Miss Winifred Orr who teaches at the Whitedale school spent the week end with relatives here.

Mrs. Hulda Oberg, Indian lake, had as her dinner guests Sunday, Mrs. Adolph Johnson and family and their guest, Miss Anna Olson, Chicago.

Catholic Ladies' Aid Meets Wed'y; Fix Yule Baskets

Members of the Catholic Ladies' Aid or any members of the congregation wishing to donate articles for the Christmas baskets are asked to bring them to the regular meeting Wednesday afternoon in the basement of the St. Francis de Sales school. Donations of fruit and candy are especially requested as there is usually a shortage of these two articles.

The meeting will begin at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. R. H. Hentcheil and Mrs. E. J. Hastings, acting as hostesses. The presence of every member, as a participant in the Christmas cheer work is asked.

Miss Nona Hruska Entertains Friends

Miss Nona Hruska entertained several friends at a delightful dinner party Sunday in honor of her birthday anniversay. Following the dinner the guests played bridge, high honors were awarded to Eileen Waters and Jean Fowler received low. The guests included Jean Fowler, Helen Katzenstein, Eileen Waters, Helen McLaughlin, Marjorie Morrison, Alice Girvin, Kathleen McNamara, Helen Fagan, Marie Murphy and Helen Johnson. Miss Hruska was the recipient of many lovely gifts.

Entertains At Birthday Party

Imogene Ann Soder, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Soder, N. Maple street, entertained a number of her friends in honor of her fifth birthday anniversary Saturday afternoon from one-thirty to three-thirty. The little guests spent the afternoon playing games after which a delicious lunch was served. Attending the party were: Peggy Weber, Marilyn Sundell, Peggy Coffey, Carolyn Hemb, Eva Babadelis, Jane Elmgren, Dorothy and Marguerite Soder.

Skandia Society to Meet Tonight

The Skandia Sick Benefit society will meet this evening at the Odd Fellows hall. This meeting was regularly scheduled for Dec. 24, and this being Christmas eve, the date of the gathering has been set ahead. All members are asked to be present.

Women's Guild to Meet at Shaw Home

Mrs. G. A. Shaw and Mrs. J. C. Quick will act as hostess to the Young Women's Guild at a meeting this evening at the Shaw home. Members will bring articles and a Christmas basket will be prepared and given the Manistique Women's club for distribution.

City Crew Sands Icy Side-Walks

Precautionary measures to prevent injury to Manistique residents were taken yesterday with the placing of sand upon the icy sidewalks of the city. The soft spell followed by freezing had covered the walks with a sheet of ice, making walking not only slippery but dangerous.

First Baptist Aid Will Meet Today

The First Baptist Ladies' Aid will hold their regular meeting tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the church parlors. Mmes. O. G. Olson, G. Bouschor and G. Swanson will act as hostesses for the afternoon. The attendance of every aid member is requested.

FEATHER PARTY

The Knights of Pythias will hold a Keno party this evening at the K. P. hall. An invitation is extended to the public to attend.

Lansing—Gov. Fred W. Green left for Washington Saturday for a short stay in connection with his duties as national commander of the Spanish American war veterans. He also plans to confer regarding more federal aid for state highways while at the capital.

ESKY, ST. JOE NEXT ON SKED

Kelly Grooms Cagers for Duel Encounter This Week

Facing one of, if not the toughest spot in the entire schedule, Coach Kelly last night put his Green and White cagers to work in preparation for their coming battles, this week. The squad will play two games on successive nights, meeting Escanaba high school, here Thursday evening and journeying to the Delta county seat, Friday evening, to grapple with St. Joseph high.

The local quintet is the best turned out here in recent ears. Taking three veterans and a bunch of green material, Coach Kelly has molded a well balanced aggregation, displaying a smooth-working offense and a tight defense. They have started the season with three straight wins, toppling Nahma and Newberry by lipsided scores and nosing out Rock by one point.

The fighting spirit of the team was shown Friday night in their remarkable comeback in defeating the "Little Giants," class D champions. Led 9-4 at the end of the first period and apparently outclosed, they came back in the next and scored 10 points while holding Rock to 4 to take the lead 14-13 at the half. How they increased their lead and then staved off the final thrust of their opponents has already been told.

They will go into the Esky battle Thursday night smarting under defeats of past seasons, desiring revenge and one of the best games of the season is in prospect. One of the biggest crowds to watch a cage game here in years is expected to view the event.

THEATRES

RIALTO

A picture of dramatic intensity and compelling sincerity is shown at the Rialto Theatre now showing "The Careless Age" is a First National offering which was adapted from the well-known stage play "Diversion," by John van Druten.

The theme of "The Careless Age" is the allure that a sophisticated woman sometimes has for a younger man. In this case the young man is almost a boy—and the woman is an actress. They meet at Lake Como, where the actress is glad to find diversion in the arms of the youth. Then she returns to the glamor of her London life and is ready to forget him, but the boy has other ideas. And so the complications start.

It is an interesting story, well directed and logical, told amid the gay tinsel of theatrical life, and in the colorful resort at Lake Como. Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., has his most dramatic role as the boy, and this sterling young actor never appeared to better advantage. Carmel Myers is cast as the actress, and the talented young woman whose performance in "Ben-Hur" will never be forgotten does a splendid piece of work as the temperamental, flighty stage star. Loretta Young's fresh beauty is loveller than ever in her role of a young English girl.

Others who contribute to the success of the picture are Holmes Herbert as the father, Kenneth Thomson as the cynical brother, and Wilfred Noy as the titled roue.

With a splendidly chosen cast, and a production that lacks nothing as to authenticity and good direction, "The Careless Age" is one of the really fine pictures of the season.

Holiday Party At Methodist Church Tonight

The Young Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the First Methodist Episcopal Memorial church is entertaining at a Christmas party this evening in the parlors of the church.

All arrangements for the party are in charge of the Young Woman's society.

A special invitation has been extended by the society to the Woman's Foreign Missionary society members to attend.

ODD FELLOWS NAME OFFICERS THIS EVENING

The Odd Fellows of Gladstone will meet this evening at the Eagles' hall for election of officers.

The meeting will begin promptly at 7:30 o'clock and it is asked that all members be present at that time.

Nominations were made at the meeting a week ago and election will take place tonight.

Parent-Teacher Meeting Wednesday

The Parent-Teacher association of Gladstone will hold a meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the kindergarten building. All members are asked to attend.

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INSTALLATION THIS EVENING

Officers of Masonic Lodge Will Take Places

Installation of officers of Gladstone Lodge, Number 396, F. & A. M., elected at the regular meeting December 6, will take place at a meeting this evening at the Masonic lodge, beginning at 8 o'clock.

Theodore D. Springer and Dr. James Mitchell, past masters of Gladstone lodge, will be installing officers.

Attendance of all members of the lodge at tonight's meeting is requested.

Officers who will be installed are:

Elnar C. Olson—Worshipful Master.
Walter L. Olson—Senior Warden.
F. R. Buechner—Junior Warden.
John M. Olson—Treasurer.
A. D. Alguire—Secretary.
H. A. Cassidy—Senior Deacon.
H. W. Turner—Junior Deacon.
A. D. Alguire—Chaplain.
S. J. Holman—Tyler.

FUNERAL OF W. H. WALKER HELD SUNDAY

Funeral services for William H. Walker, 69, Gladstone, who died at his home Thursday night after a sudden heart attack suffered Thursday afternoon, were held Sunday.

Services were conducted at the family home, Flooring Mill addition, at 9:30 o'clock Sunday morning, Mr. A. M. Boomer, of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints officiating.

At the close of the service the body was taken to Lakeview cemetery, Escanaba, where burial was made.

The Anderson Funeral Home of Escanaba was in charge of arrangements.

AT BANQUET OF PIONEERS IN MENOMINEE

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Grawey have returned from Menominee where on Friday night they attended the Telephone Pioneers' banquet held at the Menominee hotel.

Guests were all employees of the Michigan Bell Telephone company with twenty-one or more years of service to their credit.

Following the banquet there was an after dinner program with talks by several of the officials of the company, followed by a motion picture dealing with telephone operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Grawey returned to Gladstone Saturday, making the trip by motor.

CITY BRIEFS

Misses Alma and Margaret Laage and Bertha Hixom of Munising spent Sunday here as guests of Miss Irene Denio.

Felix Matson has resumed his duties at the Gladstone Western Union telegraph office after a two weeks' vacation.

Miss Thelma Roberts of Whitefish left Monday for Detroit where she is employed after visiting with relatives and friends.

Hector McAuley has left for Minneapolis where he will consult Dr. Richmiller in regard to injuries to his foot.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Norton left Saturday evening for Milwaukee where they will spend a few days on business.

Mrs. M. J. Magoon returned Sunday from Janesville and Monticello, Wis., where she visited with relatives and friends.

In a women's "marching race" on ice skates recently held at Engelberg, Switzerland, contestants were compelled to walk or run, and any who skated were disqualified.

Special During December

A $1 Bottle of Black Cap Perfume

Similar to the famous "Christmas Night" Perfume will be given free with every purchase of a $1 box of Black Cap Face Powder.

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GLADSTONE

"Grandma" Miller Is Taken by Death

Mrs. Caroline "Grandma" Miller, 89, one of the oldest residents of Gladstone and of the upper peninsula, passed away at 3 o'clock Sunday morning at the family home, 607 Wisconsin avenue.

Mrs. Miller had been ill for some time, suffering from complications resulting from her old age, but she was able to rally from severe illness through her indominatable courage, time and again.

On September 18, she celebrated her eighty-ninth birthday anniversary, surrounded by members of her family, children, grand-children and great grandchildren, and by old friends of both Escanaba and Gladstone, taking part in and enjoying the celebration.

From that time on, however, she gradually became weaker, and during a severe spell relatives were summoned to her bedside in the belief that she could not survive. She rallied however, but from that time was in a very weakened condition, her death Sunday morning, coming peacefully, as she was sleeping.

"Grandma" Miller, as she was known throughout Gladstone, had been a resident of Gladstone since 1887, and was one of Gladstone's best known and best loved residents, and word of her passing Sunday was received with deep and sincere regret.

The body was taken to Swenson Brothers to be prepared for burial and Monday was returned to the family home.

Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday afternoon, at 1:30 o'clock at the home and at 2 o'clock at the First Methodist Episcopal Memorial church. Rev. H. W. Colenso will officiate.

Burial will be in Fernwood cemetery.

Caroline Miller was born in Cameron, England, September 18, 1840, and came to the United States when she was ten years of age, making the trip on a sailing vessel.

The family settled first in New York state, later moving to Madison, Wis., where her marriage to Aaron Miller took place November 5, 1861.

Five years later they moved to Escanaba and they lived there from 1866 until the summer of 1887. On July 6 of that year they moved to Gladstone and Grandma Miller had made her home continuously since that time.

She was a devout member of the Methodist Episcopal church, taking an active part in church work, even in her advanced age.

Surviving.

She is survived by eight children, Mrs. R. A. Young, Vancouver, B. C.; William Miller, Toronto; Mrs. F. W. Darling, Detroit; Alonzo L. Miller, Flint; Charles Miller, Detroit; Edward, F. J. Miller and Mrs. George Pease, Sr., of Gladstone. She is also survived by thirty-two grand children and twenty-seven great grand children.

A. L. Miller of Flint, Charles Miller and Mrs. F. W. Darling of Detroit, have arrived here to attend the services and other relatives are expected today.

Stores Open Every Evening, Start Wednesday

Gladstone dry goods and clothing stores will be open every evening for the convenience of Christmas shoppers beginning Wednesday evening, December 18, and continuing until Christmas. The usual Saturday evening hours will be observed everywhere.

WM. DEMARSH BADLY INJURED AT BLIND RIVER

Gladstone friends of William DeMarsh formerly of this city will regret to learn that he was badly injured while at work at the Carpenter - Hixon company at Blind River, Ont.

An account of the accident contained in the Blind River Press and forwarded to Gladstone by Mrs. DeMarsh is as follows:

"Blind River, Dec. 7—On Saturday morning, Dec. 7, Mr. Wm. Demarsh who is employed with the Carpenter-Hixon company., as sawyer during the winter months met with a rather painful accident as a result of which he may lose the use of his left arm. He was using a tricker drill, when one of his mitts became entangled in the machinery he was operating. Several bones were smashed. The unfortunate workman was rushed to the hospital where his arm was looked after. The smash is of such nature that it will be impossible for some time to ascertain the extent of the injury sustained."

Maccabees Meet This Evening

The Lady Maccabees of Gladstone will hold a regular meeting this evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Legion hall. All members are asked to be present. A pot luck lunch will be served.

The Ladies' Aid society of St. Paul's Lutheran church will conduct a sale of fancy work and aprons this afternoon, beginning at 2 o'clock in the church basement.

Home made candy will be sold during the sale and refreshments will be served.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

PLANNING FOR PROGRAM ON CHRISTMAS EVE

Plans are being made for the annual Christmas program and Sunday School Christmas tree observance which will be held Christmas eve, December 24, at the church.

The program will begin at 7:30 o'clock.

Rev. H. W. Colenso will be in charge of the affair, W. S. Skellenger will preside at the program and various special committees will be in charge of arrangements for the evening.

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CHRISTMAS STORY HOUR AT LIBRARY

A Christmas story hour will be held this afternoon beginning at 4:15 o'clock at the Gladstone library, Miss Cornelia Henderson, librarian, announced Monday.

Miss Elsie Stevens, teacher in the Buckeye school, will be in charge.

The story hour is for all children from the first through the fourth grade.

FATHER OF MRS. SCHWAHN PASSES AWAY

Rev. W. W. Wilson Dies Suddenly At Oshkosh

Rev. W. W. Wilson, 83, Oshkosh, Wis., father of Mrs. E. A. Schwahn of this city, passed away suddenly Saturday morning at Oshkosh where he made his home with his daughter, Miss Ada Wilson.

Rev. Mr. Wilson's death was sudden, following a heart attack, and word of it came as a great shock to members of the family.

Mrs. Schwahn left for Oshkosh at once, to attend the funeral services. These will be held Tuesday evening, providing daughters who live in Pittsburgh and in California arrive in time.

The body will then be taken to Franklin Grove, Ill., where burial will be made Wednesday morning beside the body of Mrs. Wilson, who is buried there.

Mr. Schwahn will leave Gladstone Tuesday evening to accompany Mrs. Schwahn and other members of the family to Franklin Grove, he and Mrs. Schwahn returning to Gladstone either Thursday or Friday.

Rev. Mr. Wilson, who was 83 years of age at the time of his death, was a super-annuated minister of the Methodist Episcopal church.

He hal held parsonages in Sun Prairie, Union Grove, Watertown, Milton Junction, Palmyra and South Oshkosh, Wis., and for the past ten years had resided in Oshkosh.

He is survived by five daughters.

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BASKET WORK STARTS FRIDAY

Welfare Club Prepares for Annual Christmas Distribution

Work of preparing the Christmas baskets which will be distributed by the Child's Welfare Club to take Christmas cheer where otherwise there would be little holiday observance will begin Friday.

The Welfare store room which is now located in the First Ward polling booth, the use of which was given the Club through the courtesy of the city administration, will be open Friday afternoon and all day Saturday, for the purchase of taking cae of donations and of sorting and arranging articles.

The Club plans at the present time to take care of over thirty families, and over one hundred children, this year, and donations of any kind, clothing, bedding, food stuffs, toys for the children, or funds with which to purchase articles for the basket will be welcomed.

The Christmas basket appeal which was issued a short time ago met with ready response and it is expected that large numbers of donations will be received this week from those who are sparing a part of a busy time to send a little cheer to those not so fortunate as they.

Calls in regard to articles for the baskets may be left with any of the officers of the Welfare Club or the members of the Relief Committee, Mesdames Henry Rosenblum, Glenn W. Jackson, A. S. Nelson, C. E. Russell, J. D. Staple, J. D. McDonald, J. F. Richardson and Margaret Kaney.

The Coterie will hold a regular meeting this afternoon with Mrs. G. J. Sliming at her home.

The program for the afternoon is as follows:

Roll Call—Christmas.
Christ as Reading—Mrs. James Mitchell.
Music—Mrs. H. J. Skogquist.

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Escanaba Speakers Debate Manistique Trio Here Thursday

The Escanaba affirmative debate team will meet the Manistique negative trio at the Escanaba high school auditorium Thursday evening, December 19. The Escanaba speakers and the order in which they are scheduled to appear follows: Robert Oshins, Marcella McGinn and Wheaton Strom.

This is the second debate of the year for the Escanaba speakers. The Escanaba negative trio defeated the Soo affirmative speakers at the Soo in the first debate a few weeks ago.

Escanaba high school is a member of the Michigan Interscholastic Debate League. They will be represented by debaters in four league contests which will decide whether they will advance into the elimination contest which will be held to determine the Michigan state championship. Sixty-four schools will survive the early eliminations, qualifying them to participate in the final elimination matches.

The debaters at the Escanaba high school are coached by Joseph Shipman, a member of the school faculty.

BRIEFLY TOLD

Seal Sale Pleasing—The Escanaba Woman's club is pleased to express its sincere thanks and gratitude to the people for their hearty co-operation in the sale of the Christmas seals to help fight tuberculosis in this county and state. The returns thus far have been quite satisfactory. As the seal sale season is nearly over, it will be greatly appreciated if the returns for the seals still out can be made as soon as possible so that the bills can be paid and the books finally closed.

K. C. Meeting—The regular meeting of the Knights of Columbus will be held at the club parlors this evening at eight o'clock. A large attendance is desired as important business matters will be discussed.

OBITUARY

GEORGE H. BLANCHARD

George H. Blanchard, 65, died at his home, 329 South Fifteenth street, at 6:30 o'clock last evening. Death was caused by heart trouble and dropsy with which he had been suffering for over a year.

The deceased had been a car repairer for the Chicago and North Western railway for a number of years. He was a member of the Holy Name society of St. Joseph's church and of the order of Modern Brotherhood of America.

The only survivor is his wife, who was formerly Elizabeth Henry.

No funeral arrangements have been made.

Plan Huge Plane

Madrid—A giant monoplane, planned to carry 50 passengers, is now being built here. The cruising range of the plane will be 8000 miles, it is said. Fully loaded will weigh 20 tons and will also be able to carry 5 tons of bombs.

Vitamin D In Snails

Paris—French chefs are in their glory—G. Mouriquand and A. Leulier, before the Academy of Sciences here, reported that snails long the favorite of French culinary artists, have in their meat an abundance of the vitamins "D".

When George Taylor, the "model porter" of a railroad line in England, recently retired after 50 years' service, his passenger friends presented him a fund of $375.

HEALTH

In an address before the American Public Health Association, Dr. L. I. Dublin emphasized the difference between the expectation of life and the span of life in order that people might have a more clear understanding of what science has accomplished in improving the former without changing the latter.

The great gains that have been made in increasing life expectancy have been made by overcoming infant mortality, the infectious diseases of youth and the great plagues.

People do not live to more extreme old age than they used to, but a great many more people live to middle age and beyond, so that the average length of life is lengthened.

According to Dublin, there are about 5000 people in the United States out of a total of 110,000,000 who claim the distinction of being one hundred years old or over, but he says, as most statisticians think, there is a good deal of poetical license in this claim. Raymond Pearl found 30 people out of 3,000,000 lived to the age of 100, and of these, 20 were women.

Since 1921 the death rates for heart disease and cancer have been definitely on the increase in people past middle life. This is significant, because cancer is essentially a disease of middle age or beyond and the reason there is more cancer is people are living longer to have cancer.

Another increase emphasized by Dublin is that in diabetes. This increase may also be associated with the fact that more people are living longer and that the span of life is greatly increased in recent years. The wear and tear on the human system has a definite part to play in determining the length of life. When the machine has lost its power of repair and recuperation, the less effort and stress placed upon it, the more likely it is to survive for a longer period of time.

As winter comes with foggy days and less and less sunlight, the manufacturers of artificial sunlight lamps make greater and greater efforts to sell these to the public.

There is a general impression, well supported by scientific evidence, that a reasonable amount of sunlight is good for humanity in the vast majority of cases. No one has yet produced a machine which will produce in the home all of the effects of outdoor sunlight. Outdoors one gets the fresh air, the exposure to the breezes, the exposure of the skin, and other climatic features in addition to the light itself. Indoors he gets only the light.

In both Great Britain and in this country serious consideration is being given to the question of limitations that should be placed on lamps sold to the public. Already leading manufacturers have produced apparatus which provides only the intensity of sunlight and no untraviolet radiation of a stronger character. The British authorities are convinced that if ultraviolet-producing lamps are sold to the general public they should conform to two conditions: First, they should give off no appreciable quantity of wave lengths shorter than 2900 angstrom units. Second, they should be accompanied by printed instructions giving exact particulars regarding the amount of time the lamp should be used and the distance that the body should be from the lamp when it is used. The public should also be warned against using the lamp in ill health, except under the advice of a physician.

In other words, the ultraviolet rays should be used for such protective value as they confer on the body through raising the resistance of the human being to disease. Certain people react more strongly to light exposure than do others. Such people should be warned particularly against overdosage and against submitting themselves to ultraviolet without competent medical advice.

There is, moreover, available on the market much ultraviolet apparatus that does not actually produce ultraviolet rays in sufficient intensity to accomplish any good whatever. Certainly the purchaser should be warned against inefficient apparatus.

The American people are much given to crazes for new methods of treatment and new sanitary devices. The purchaser of the ultraviolet apparatus is likely to use it for a month or two and then to let it stand idle, as does the victrola, the radio, or any of the other amusement devices purchased for the home. The ultraviolet ray apparatus can do little good unless used regularly and over long periods of time, particularly in the winter months.

Among the saddest of spectacles in our modern life is the large number of deaths of infants occurring before they are one year old.

There was a time when 275 to 300 infants out of every thousand born died before they were one year old. Most civilized countries now have rates varying from 50 to 80, but there are sections of France, Germany and England, and even portions of the United States in which rates are still above 100.

The League of Nations surveying the subject has made certain general recommendations for the prevention of infant mortality, which should serve to lower the number of deaths greatly. Wherever such methods have been put into effect, the rates have responded promptly.

One of the most important points is education of the public in the hygiene of maternity and infancy. Chicago lowered its infant mortality rate greatly by undertaking a definite campaign of education of mothers as to the proper care of the infant month by month from the day of its birth.

The emphasis placed on breast feeding and on a sufficient amount of sunlight and fresh air results in an appreciable effect on the infant mortality rate. Other factors of importance include special attention of physicians as to new methods in the care of babies and proper supervision of the mother previous to the child's birth and during the birth process.

Among recent efforts, special attention is being given to the prevention of colds and lung infections among infants by education of parents in the control of communicable diseases. An older person with a cough or cold should remain away from an infant, since such infection is more serious for a child than for a grown up person. The child should sleep alone and the ventilation and temperature of the room in which the child sleeps must be watched.

The rules of the proper care of infants are essentially simple, but they demand a good deal of detail and attention in their observance. When the rules are followed, the results are found to be more than worth the effort.

Many women believe that it is possible to feed the skin or cause it to fill out by the use of pastes, ointments, lotions or similar preparations rubbed on, stuck on, or dabbed on in some manner.

There is, however, no way to feed the skin by something put on the surface. The skin is kept alive and clear by the blood that comes to it in the lower layers. There are no blood vessels in the outer layers of the skin and these layers get the material on which they are kept alive by an oozing of the fluid from the blood through the lower layers up to them.

The layer that is on the outside is a horny material which serves primarily as a protective covering and which has not within it any stimulating elements for taking up or assimilating nutritive material.

The blood vessels that come to the skin like those in other portions of the body, are controlled by nerves which can dilate them or contract them. When the nerves dilate the blood vessels, more blood comes into the skin, and conversely when the blood vessels contract, less blood comes in. The nerves in the skin react to many influences. If a person blushes, his blood vessels dilate; if he faints, the blood vessels contract. If a person takes alcohol his face flushes, and if he eats too much he is likely to have a flushed complexion.

The undamaged skin will not allow water to pass through it or any substances that may be in solution in water. A person can be put in a bathtub full of water and kept there for many days and he will not be any more thirsty due to water passing out of his body, nor will he swell out due to water passing into the body. If the water is very hot, he will perspire and due to the loss of water from his body by perspiration, he will become thirsty.

Fatty substances and ointments placed on the skin will not be absorbed by the skin, but if they are rubbed hard enough they may be forced to penetrate the skin and get into the glands from which they may be taken up. When fat is rubbed in, it does not remain in the skin but is taken up by the blood and carried to other parts of the body.

The human being of today faces conditions that did not exist a generation ago.

The streets are full of motor traffic, the air has airplanes, speed boats travel the waters, and from the windows and tops of tall buildings there is a constant menace of falling objects.

Greater and greater demands are being placed upon the eye and ear for the safety of mankind. The eye specialists are finding as a result more and more work to do in determining who is capable of taking care of himself in the middle of the traffic.

It is probably true that most automobile accidents are the result of carelessness on the part of the driver or pedestrian, or of intoxication on the part of either. Not infrequently, however, accidents occur because someone did not see quickly, see accurately, or understandingly. Dr. Charles P. Small calls attention to the fact that eyes may become so fatigued after a long drive as to add a distinctly new element of danger.

Muscle exercises do not strengthen the eye, but overexercise of the eye is likely to interfere with proper muscle action. Another danger of driving is the danger that comes from color blindness. A color blind man may learn by daily experience on roads which he travels regularly the position of the light that means go and the one that means stop, but on an unfamiliar road if he is unable to distinguish red and green, he is likely to get himself into a good deal of trouble.

German customs authorities at Aix-la-Chapelle, have reported that they instituted legal proceedings in 1269 smuggling cases in the last year.

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MUNISING NEWS

CITY BRIEFS

Donlin Leiphart, Theron Malone, Jack Ran, Edward Johnson, and Gilbert McDermatt motored to Ishpeming Sunday night and attended the show at the new Ishpeming theatre.

Miss Gladys Blizel, and John Blizel and Verland Benson attended the show at Marquette Saturday night.

Misses Tsther Ames, Florence Berry and Alice Levy also Jack Siltala and George Rahkonen, attended the dance at Trenary Saturday night.

Mr. M. E. McArry has returned from a trip to the west. While at Los Angeles he met Mr. Armand Hebert. Mr. Hebert is now first violinist in the Los Angeles Opera company.

J. F. St. John of Marquette was a city caller Saturday.

George Albert of Joliet, Ill., is here on a business visit.

Misses Bertha Hixon, Margaret Laage and Alma Laage motored to Escanaba and Gladstone Sunday.

MUNISING BOWLING

Bowling scores for Friday nights bowling were:

Pin Slaughterers, 730, 726, 675—2133.

West End Stars, 697, 734, 735—2166.

Professionals, 800, 832, 797—2429.

Pin Spillers, 652, 772, 794—2218.

PROPOSE GAS PLANT

The city council held their regular meeting Monday. The bills presented against the city were passed. The city also had a proposition from the Midwestern Utilities commission, who asked the city to take some action on their offer to construct a gas plant in the city. This was held over till the next meeting.

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BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Dec. 6—St. Joe here, score was 27 to 17 in Munising's favor.
Dec. 13—Newberry here, score was 25 to 23 in Newberry's favor.
Dec. 20—Baraga there.
Jan 10—Manistique here.
Jan. 17—Gwinn there.
Jan 25—Newberry there.
Jan. 31—Gwinn here.
Feb. 7—Negaunee here.
Feb. 14—John D. Pierce there.
Feb. 21—Baraga here.
Feb. 28—Marquette there.

Second Team Preliminaries

Feb. 7—Eben high there.
Feb. 14—Eben high there.
Feb. 28—Marquette second team there.

Arrangements are also being made for a game with Grand Marais.

Copper Is Great Michigan Asset; Quiz Freight Rate

Chicago, Dec. 14 (AP)—Reams of evidence continued today to pour into files of interstate commerce commission examiners conducting inquiry into freight rates on non-ferrous metals.

Robert H. Dunn, chairman of the Michigan public utility commission, and F. M. Wintermuth, commission rate expert, representing the interests of that state's vast copper mining industry, representatives of the Calumet-Hecla company, the Quincy Mining company and the Copper range company offered evidence to examiners.

"As the copper industry is of vital importance to all Michigan," Dunn said, "we are here to see that if any ultimate rate revision is carried out Michigan will not suffer any bad effects therefrom.

"Not only is our state interested in copper mining, but the vast automobile industries use great quantities of non-ferrous metals annually and they would be vitally affected by any adverse rate revision."

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MARKET AGAIN IS UNCERTAIN

STOCK MARKET AVERAGES
(By The Associated Press)

	50 Industrial	20 Railroads	20 Utilities
Today	169.4	132.6	203.3
Saturday	174.4	134.4	210.7
Week ago	177.9	134.9	217.1
Year ago	189.6	127.9	182.3
2 years ago	146.0	123.1	127.1
3 years ago	108.3	107.5	103.7
High 1929	252.8	167.8	353.1
Low 1929	141.3	117.7	156.6

Total sales 2,592,110 shares.

BY CLAUDE A. JAGGER
(Associated Press Financial Writer)

New York, Dec. 16 (AP)—The stock market limped into the new week rather feebly today. Prices sank rapidly and trading dwindled off to the smallest proportions since the first of the month, only 2,592,110 shares changing hands. Leading shares generally closed 1 to 8 points lower, with some of the lightly traded specialties showing wider gains. The rally of the last two days of last week was largely cancelled.

The market appeared to have entered another period of uncertainty, and traders were inclined to lighten accounts pending signs of a definite trend.

Survey Favorable

Corporation news was meagre, and industrial statistics coming to hand of a character to inspire further caution. The degree of general business recession in November, however, as graphically portrayed by the department of labor's employment statistics, was moderate. A decrease from October appeared in employment of 3.1 per cent, and in payrolls of 6.8 per cent, but this is in a measure seasonal.

A favorable survey coming to hand was a study of 1930 dividend prospects by David Friday, well-known economist, who found that if the present recession is as great as that of 1924, and most observers doubt that it will be, 1930 corporate earnings will still be well above the total of dividends paid in 1929.

Considerable disappointed selling of the rails appeared as a result of the non-appearance of the interstate commerce commission's consolidation plan over the week end, which had been expected in some quarters.

Export Gold

There was little change in credit conditions. Call money held officially at 4½ per cent, but moved at 4 in the outside market, with demand slight. Conditions were eased slightly by a government overdraft of $250,000,000 in connection with the refinancing, but this will be rapidly reduced, $100,000,000 being paid up tomorrow, as a result of cash payment for the initial issue of bills. Foreign exchanges were firm, and further large exports of gold appeared imminent.

Gains were firm, in contrast to stocks. Wheat sold up 2 cents a bushel and more, reflecting small world shipments, and higher prices at Liverpool. Corn mounted about a cent. Cotton, however, was heavy and dull, also in sympathy with Liverpool. Closing prices were 70 to 95 cents a bale lower.

In the firm foreign exchanges, the German mark reached another new high for the year. The Canadian dollar rallied about 1-8 cent, and Sterling cables held firm at $4.88¼.

DAY'S MARKETS IN BRIEF

NEW YORK, Dec. 16 (AP)—

Stocks, weak; pivotal shares fell 3 to 8 points.

Bonds, irregular; highest grade issues firm in light trading.

Curb, heavy; utilities sag.

Foreign Exchanges, firm; German marks at new 1929 high.

Cotton, lower; southern selling.

Sugar, steady; higher spot market.

Coffee, steady; firmer closing Brazil.

CHICAGO:

Wheat, firm; bullish afrm board statement.

Corn, higher; unfavorable weather.

Cattle, steady to strong.

Hogs, lower.

GOVERNMENT BONDS

New York, Dec. 16—Closing prices: Liberty 3½s, 99.15. Liberty 1st, 4¼s, 100.31. Liberty 4th, 4¼s, 101.13. U. S. Treasury 4s, 107.26. U. S. Treasury 4¼s, 111.26.

NEW YORK GRAIN

New York, Dec. 16—Wheat, spot firm; No. 1 northern spring, c. i. f. New York, 1.48½; No. 2 hard winter, f. o. b. New York, 1.30½; No. 2 Manitoba, ditto, 1.50; No. 2 mixed durum, ditto, 1.28½; No. 2 amber durum, ditto, 1.28½.

Corn, spot firm; No. 2 yellow, c. i. f. New York, 1.07½; No. 3 yellow, ditto, 1.05.

Oats, spot firm; No. 2 white, 58.

CHICAGO BUTTER

Chicago, Dec. 16—Butter prices were steady on top scores today and easy on medium and lower grades.

Fresh butter, 92 score, 37½ at 38; 92 score, 37; 91 score, 36; 90 score, 35; 89 score, 34½; 88 score, 33½; 87 score, 32½. Centralized carlots: 90 score, 34½; 89 score, 35; 88 score, 34.

BOSTON MINING STOCKS
(Closing Quotations)

Copper Range	15.50
East Butte	1.50
North Butte	2.87
Old Dominion	7.25
Quincy	19.75
Utah Apex	2.00
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NEW YORK STOCKS
(Last Sales)

Abitibi Power & P	35.00
Advance Romely	
Air Reduction (new)	120.62
Ajax Rubber	2.00
Alaska Juneau	7.50
Allied Chem. & Dye	265.00
Allis Chalmers	51.25
Amerada Corp.	20.75
Am. Agric. Chec. pfd	28.00
Am. Bosch Magneto	43.00
Am. Brake Shoe & Fdry	47.50
American Can	114.25
Amer. Car & Fdry.	83.75
Amer. Express	
Amer. & For. Pow	90.00
Amer. International	85.12
Amer. Locomotive	102.25
Amer. Metals	47.87
Amer. Radiator	
Amer. Seating Co.	
Amer. Smelting & Ref	72.50
Amer. Steel Fdry.	46.00
Amer. Sugar Refining	62.00
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	218.00
Amer. Tobacco	201.00
Am. W. Wks. & Elec	87.50
Amer. Woolen	8.62
Amer. Zinc L. & S.	10.00
Anaconda Copper	77.87
Andes Coper	34.75
Armour of Del. pfd	81.00
Armour of Ills. A	6.62
Armour of Ills. B	5.50
Armour of Ills. pfd.	60.00
A. T. & S. F.	226.50
Atlantic Refining	40.00
Auto Sales	
Balt. & Ohio	117.00
Barnsdall "A"	25.50
Bethlehem Steel	
Borden Co.	70.12
Briggs Mfg. Co.	16.87
Brockway Motor Truck	20.50
Brunswick Balke Coll	21.25
Byers (A. M.) Co.	88.12
Callahan Lead & Zinc	
Calumet & Aris.	89.75
Calumet & Hecla	31.62
Canada Dry Gingerale	65.00
Canadian Pacific	194.25
Central Alloy Steel	85.00
Cerro de Pasco Cop.	61.75
Certain-teed Prod.	13.50
Chandler Cleve. pfd	
Chesapeake & Ohio	209.00
Chicago & Alton	91.00
Chi. & Eastern Ills. pfd	41.00
Chi. Great Western	15.50
Chi. M. & St. P. & P	25.00
Chi. M. & St. P. & P. pfd	47.62
Chicago & N. W.	87.12
Chi. Pneumatic Tool	
Chi. R. I. & P.	120.00
Chile Copper	
Chrysler Corp.	86.00
Collins & Aikman	
Colo. Fuel & Iron	
Columbia Gas & Elec.	71.00
Columbian Carbon	173.00
Comm. Invest. Trust	39.25
Comm. Solvents	30.12
Commonwealth Pow.	
Congress Cigar	52.75
Consolidated Cigar	51.50
Consolidated Gas	94.75
Container Corp.	14.00
Continental Can.	52.00
Continental Motors	7.75
Corn Products Ref.	92.00
Crucible Steel	81.00
Cudahy Packing	47.00
Curtiss Aero & Motor	
Davison Chemical	30.00
Detroit Edison	190.00
Drug Inc.	78.50
Dupont de Nemours	113.00
Eaton Axle & Spring	27.50
Electric Auto Lite	83.50
Electric Boat	5.25
Electric Pow. & Light	45.25
Electric Storage Batt	70.12
Erie	61.50
Fairbanks Morse	
Fed. Motor Truck Co.	8.00
Fisk Rubber	3.87
Fleischmann Co.	
Follansbee Bros.	40.12
Fox Film A	38.75
Freeport Texas	35.00
Gabriel Snubber	6.12
Gardner Motors	4.25
General Asphalt	50.62
General Electric	229.75
General Motors	41.00
Gen. Outdoor Adv. "A"	
General Railway Sig.	89.00
Gillette Safety Razor	98.00
Gold Dust	39.87
Goodrich	46.00
Goodyear T. & R.	70.12
Graham Paige Mot.	11.00
Granby Cons. Mining	56.00
Great Northern pfd.	100.00
Great North. Ore Ctfs.	21.75
Greene Cananea Copper	112.00
Hahn Dept. Stores	15.62
Houston Oil	57.50
Hudson Motor Car	58.00
Hupp Motor Car	21.00
Illinois Central	129.50
Independent Oil & Gas	23.62
Indian Refining	29.00
Inland Steel	74.00
Inspiration Copper	31.12
Internat. Business Mach.	158.00
Internat. Combus. Eng.	15.50
Internat. Harvester	79.00
Internat. Match. pfd.	6[illegible]
Internat. Merc. Mar. pfd.	24[illegible]
Internat. Nickel	30.25
Internat. Paper	
Internat. Tel. & Tel.	74.87
Island Creek Coal	45.00
Jewell Tea	45.62
Johns Manville	119.25
Jordon Motor Car	2.50
K. C. Southern	83.50
Kelly Springfield T.	4.00
Kelsey Hayes Wheel	24.50
Kelvinator	8.12
Kennecott Copper	58.25
Kolster Radio	6.25
Kresge, S. S. Co.	34.62
Lee Rubber & Tire	6.75
Liggett & Myers	
Liquid Carbonic	54.25
Loose Wiles Bisc.	52.12
Louisiana Oil	9.25
Louisville & Nash.	134.25
Louisville Gas & Elec.	
Mack Truck	72.50
Magma Copper	52.75
Manhat. Elec. Supply	28.87
Marland Oil	
May Dept. Stores	54.50
Mengel Co.	17.00
Miami Copper	29.00
Mid-Cont. Petrol	27.50
Midland Steel Prod. pfd.	170.00
Minn. & St. Louis	1.75
Missouri, Kans. & Tex.	49.75
Missouri Pacific	89.12
Montgomery Ward	58.62
Moon Motor Car	4.37
Mother Lode	2.00
Mot. Meter A	
Motor Prod. Corp.	58.00
Motor Wheel Corp.	27.00
Mullins Mfg.	16.25
Murray Corp.	23.50
Nash Motors	53.25
National Bisc.	173.50
Nat. Cash Reg. A	74.75
Nat. Dairy Prod.	49.00
Nat. Power & Light	82.00
Nevada Cons. Copper	20.75
New York Air Brake	43.87
New York Central	175.00
North American Co.	92.50
Northern Pacific	92.87
Norwalk T. & R. Co.	
Omnibus Corp.	8.87
Otis Elev.	280.00
Otis Steel	
Packard Motor	15.75
Pen. Am. P. & T. Cl. B.	58.00
Paramount F. Lasky	50.75
Pathe	2.50
Pathe "A"	6.75
Patino Mines	21.00
Peerless Motor Car	6.12
Penn. R. R.	81.00
Phila. & Reading	13.50
Phillips Petrol	26.00
Pierce Arrow	
Pillsbury Flour	35.50
Pittsburgh Coal	
Postum Cereal	
Pressed Steel Car	9.50
Pub. Service of N. J.	77.00
Pullman Co. (new)	84.25
Pure Oil	24.00
Radio Corp. of Am.	42.75
Radio Keith-Orph.	19.37
Reading	88.25
Remington Rand	12.00
Reo Motors	9.50
Rep. Iron & Steel	80.50
Reynolds Spring	4.75
Reynolds Tob. "B"	50.12
Richfield Oil	27.37
Rio Grande Oil	20.00
St. Joseph Lead	55.12
St. L. San Francisco	112.00
Schulte Retail Stores	5.50
Sears Roebuck	101.12
Seneca Copper	2.62
Shell Union Oil	23.25
Sinclair Cons. Oil	25.37
Skelly Oil	32.00
Snider Packing	
South Calif. Edison	55.50
Southern Pacific	123.00
Southern Railway	136.87
Spicer Mfg. Co.	26.00
Stand. Commerc. Tob.	
Stand. Milling	
Stand. Oil (Cal.)	62.00
Stand. Oil (N. J.)	65.25
Stand. Oil (N. Y.)	34.25
Stand. Plate Glass	
Stewart Warner Speed	40.62
Stromberg Carb.	
Studebaker Co.	43.25
Submarine Boat Corp.	.87
Tenn. Cop. & Chem.	13.37
Texas Corp.	56.37
Texas Gulf Sulph	56.62
Texas Pac. Coal & Oil	
The Fair Co.	31.00
Thompson (J. R.) Co.	87.25
Tidewater Assoc. Oil	12.50
Timken Roller Bearing	73.12
Tobacco Products	3.62
Truscon Steel	38.00
Union Carb. & Carb.	77.00
Union Pacific	215.50
U. S. Cl. Pipe	
U. S. Indus. Alcohol	135.00
U. S. Leather "A"	17.87
U. S. Rubber	28.00
U. S. Smelt. & Refining	36.25
U. S. Steel	166.37
U. S. Steel pfd.	141.50
Univ. Pipe & Rad.	3.75
Vanadium Corp.	54.25
Vick Chemical	36.25
Victor Talking Mach.	
Wabash	60.00
Warner Bros. Pict. "A"	42.00
West Maryland	29.37
Westinghouse Air Brake	46.00
Westingh. Elec. & M.	133.00
White Motors	33.25
Willys Overland	9.00
Woolworth, F. W. Co.	76.00
Worthington Pump	72.25
Wright Aeronaut	45.00
Yellow Coach & Truck	14.25
Youngst. Sheet & Tube	110.00
Auburn Auto	201.00
Bohn Aluminum	55.00
Com'wlth & South. Pow.	13.50
Congoleum Nairn	14.00
General Foods	49.25
Gen. Outdoor Adv. Ctfs.	18.50
Glidden	34.87
Houdaille-Hershey B	21.87
Kimberly Clark	
Louisville G. & E.	39.00
Sparks Withington	18.62
St. Gas & Elec.	113.62
United Air	45.50
United Corporation	32.50
U. S. Freight	97.50
Burroughs Add. Mach.	45.25
Checker Cab	42.75
Standard Brands	28.12
Underwood Elliott	99.50

SALES SUMMARY

Total Sales	2,592,110
Previous Day	1,654,220
Week Ago	5,018,050
Year Ago	2,227,500
Jan. 1 to Date	1,092,156,520
Year Ago	874,777,300
Two Years Ago	546,485,400

NEW YORK CURB
(Closing Quotations)

Acoustic Prod.	
Ainsworth Mfg.	
Alexander Ind.	
Allied P. & L.	37.00
Allison Drug "A"	1.00
Allison Drug "B"	1.00
Aluminum Co. Am.	
Am. Br. Boy. "B"	
Am. Com. Pow. "A"	24.75
Am. Com. Pow. "B"	36.87
Am. Cyan "B"	
Am. & For. Pow. War.	65.00
Am. Gas & El.	115.00
Am. L. & Trac.	
Am. Solv. & Chem.	
Am. Supar Pow. "A"	
Am. Super Pow. "B"	88.00
Anglo Am. Oil	
Arcturus Radio Tube	10.50
Arkans. Nat. Gas	10.00
Assoc. Gas & Elec.	40.00
Aviation Corp. Amer.	21.75
Bahia Corp.	3.75
Ballanca Aircraft (Vtc.)	6.12
Bendix	
Buff. Niag. & East Pow.	
B. Niag. & E. Pow. "A"	24.62
Butler Bros.	20.12
Camco (Vtc.)	.62
Canadian Marconi	4.25
Carib Synd (new)	1.12
Cel. Corp. Amer. (new)	32.50
Cent. Pub. Serv. "A"	36.25
Cen. States Elec.	28.12
Checker Cab (new)	
Cities Service	28.25
Club Aluminum	
Colon Oil	5.50
Commonw. & Southern	
Cons. Cop. Mining	5.87
Continental Oil (Vtc.)	
Copper Range	15.00
Curtiss Flying	6.12
DeForest Radio	6.00
Durant Motors	5.50
El. Bond & Share (new)	81.37
Ditto Preferred (new)	103.25
Emp. Gas & F. 7% pfd.	
Emp. Power	39.75
Fairchild Aviation	
Federal Water "A"	
Firestone T. & R.	
Fokker Aircraft	17.00
Ford of Canada "A"	31.37
Ford of Canada "B"	
Ford Motor Ltd.	11.25
Fox Theatre "A"	8.50
Freshman, Chas.	
General Baking	3.87
Goldman Sachs	41.50
Grigsby Grunow	
Gulf Oil Corp.	140.00
Hall Lamp	
Hecla Mining	
Hiram Walker, G. & W.	12.00
Hudson Bay, M. & S.	8.62
Humble Oil	86.00
Internat. Petrol	21.62
Inter. Util. "B"	7.50
Iron Cap Copper	
Lake Superior	
Lakey Fdry. & Mach.	
Lehigh Coal & Nav.	
Middlewest Util.	
Missouri-Kans. Pipe L.	19.50
Mohawk & Hud. Pow.	
National Aviation	9.75
National Fam. Stores	20.75
Nat. Pow. & Lt. pfd.	
National Pub. Serv. "A"	24.00
National Transit	
Newmount Mining	119.00
Niles Bement Pond.	27.50
Nipissing Mines	1.75
Noranda Mines	33.50
North Am. Aviation	5.00
North Am. Util Sec.	
Nor. States Pow. "A"	169.87
Northeastern Pow.	
Ohio Oil	71.87
Outboard "A"	
Penn Ohio Edison (new)	
Petroleum Co.	20.87
Procter & Gamble	
Richman Bros.	
Servel	
Shattuck Denn.	6.62
Sikorsky Aviation	
Standard Motors	1.62
Standard Oil (Ind.)	54.50
Standard Oil (Kans.)	26.00
Standard Oil (Ohio)	85.00
Stromberg Carlson	
Stutz Motor Car Amer.	3.25
Swift & Co.	134.00
Swift Internat.	35.00
Texon Oil & Land	
Transcont. Air Trans.	8.25
Triplex Safety Glass	
United Gas Co.	20.00
United Gas Imp.	
United Lt. & Pow. "A"	26.25
U. S. Freight (new)	
U. S. Gypsum	45.50
Util. Pow. & Lt. B. ctf.	
Vacuum Oil	98.75
Wire Wheel	
Woodley Petrol	13.00
Wright Aero	14.37
Yellow Taxi (new)	1.50
Zenith Radio	7.25
Davenport Hosiery	
Curtis-Wright, W. I.	
Eastern Gas & Fuel	25.00
Imperial Oil of Canada	26.37
Niag. & Hudson Pow.	3.25
Do "A" Warrants	
Northeastern Power	13.00
Pennroad Corp.	14.37
Sonora Products	1.50
Vick Finance	7.25

LITTLE ACTION; BONDS DULLER

BOND MARKET AVERAGES.

	Mon.	Sat.
10 1st grade rails	93.03	93.00
10 secondary rails	97.26	97.58
10 public utilities	92.72	93.13
10 industrials	97.52	97.71
Combined average	95.13	95.36
Combined mo. ago	93.47	
Combined yr. ago	96.95	
Comb'd 2 yrs. ago	99.59	
Comb'd 3 yrs. ago	96.44	

Total bond sales (par value) $12,012,000.

BY JOHN L. COOLEY.
(Associated Press Financial Writer)

New York, Dec. 16 (AP)—Slightly firmer tendencies in the time money market curtailed trading in an already dull bond list today and many of the closing prices showed small net declines. Liberties, Treasuries and the first grade rails, however, met enough support to hold quotations steady, although it was apparent that large customers were making only limited inquiries for these prime investment loans.

Much of the interest was in the direction of new financing, both immediate and prospective. Several issues were announced for immediate offering, including a $30,000,000 5 per cent 25-year issue of Canadian Pacific railway collateral trust bonds at par; a $2,300,000 issue of City of Cincinnati serial 4½s to yield 4.20 to 4.40; and a $4,000,000 loan by the American Gas and Power company in ten year 6 per cent debentures at 95.

Foreign Fields Active

Several developments were reported in the foreign field. It was learned that an $8,000,000 loan for the Province of Buenos Aires, the first piece of South American financing in months, had been arranged for flotation this week. The bonds, due in 1961, will bear 6½ per cent coupons. Advices from Vienna reported that plans for a $100,000,000 international loan by Austria were making progress, while the City of Montreal announced that it would receive bids for an $18,300,000 long term bond issue.

Convertibles softened on the downward movement of stocks, but activity in the share privilege group was unimpressive. Losses of 1 to 4 points developed on desultory dealings in American Telephone 4½s, American I. G. Chemical 5½s, Atchison 4½s, International Telephone 4½s, New Haven 6s and American International 5½s. Chicago North Western 4¾s and Texas Corporation 5s were undisturbed by the selling tendency.

Industrials were quiet, with a moderate easing trend in evidence. Foreign bonds likewise inclined downward on small transactions.

STEEL PRICES

New York, Dec. 16—Steel prices, per 100 pounds f. o. b. Pittsburgh:

Blue annealed sheets, 220 at 230; galvanized sheets, 340 at 350; black sheets, 275; steel bars, 190.

Planned Wholesale Sending of Bombs Through the Mails

Los Angeles, Dec. 14 (AP)—Francis Cadwell, 26, eccentric inventor, was confined to a psychopathic ward tonight after he had confessed to police that he mailed a bomb to Clark Scott of Townsend, Tenn., November 25, and planned to manufacture a dozen similar devices for distribution through the United States.

Cadwell said the bomb he sent Scott was an experiment to test the advisability of using the mails in bomb distribution. Scott, he said, was a friend he made while living in Townsend. Scott unwrapped a package postmarked Los Angeles at his home on November 19 and was seriously injured in an explosion which followed. Three bystanders were wounded. Half an hour after the bomb had exploded Scott received a telegram warning him not to open a package from Los Angeles.

Police said they arrested Cadwell after tracing the telegram to him. Postmarks on the package enclosing the bomb also were used in the search.

Under questioning Cadwell said he could not remember the names of the twelve persons to whom he intended to send additional bombs. He could assign no motive for the plan and said he held no grudge against the persons.

Jackson—Merle N. Weyant, 45, of Jackson, was being held in the county jail at Kalamazoo Saturday by postal inspectors. Weyant, a Michigan Central railroad baggageman, is accused of robbery of the mails over a period of several years. The inspectors arrested him on a train between Ann Arbor and Jackson after he was alleged to have removed a package containing marked money from the mails.

A man in England bit a constable. That's once the law had teeth in it.

WALL STREET BRIEFS

New York, Dec. 16 (AP)—The impending consolidation plans expected to be announced soon by the interstate commerce commission is the chief concern of American railroads as they go into the new year, J. J. Bernet, president of the Chesapeake & Ohio, said today. If that plan is a "logical, well-considered scheme for welding transportation facilities of the country into an efficient number of systems and each given a chance to earn its way," he added, "I should say that the coming year would make the start of a new era of prosperity for the railroads and that, of course, means prosperity for the country."

The Standard Gas & Electric company, it was reported today, will soon offer 100,000 shares of $4 cumulative preferred stock, the proceeds from the sale of which will be used mostly for investments in subsidiaries.

The board of directors of the Firestone Tire & Rubber Co. has been increased from seven to nine members. Newly elected directores are L. R. Jackson, general sales manager, and B. M. Robinson, assistant secretary.

The Electric Shareholders Corp., an investment trust, reports that its net income from operations for the eight months ending November 30, including dividends and profits realized from the sale of securities, amounted to $5,981,366. Net assets on that date were $49,503,856, compared with $50,425,000 at the time of organization. The corporation's largest investment consists of 264,000 shares of North American company.

Contracts awarded for new buildings and engineering work in the metropolitan area of New York for the week ending December 13, were valued at $20,218,400, according to the F. W. Dodge corporation. This amount compares with $40,607,400 for the preceding week.

The Brunswick-Balke-Collender Co. hash purchased the assets of the Vitavox Co., consisting of patents, machinery and equipment for the manufacture of sound-on-film recording and reproducing devices. The transaction was understood to be for cash, although the purchase price was not divulged.

New life insurance written during November totaled $1,039,727,000, compared with $924,150,000 in the same month last year, an increase of 12.5 per cent, he American Association of Life Insurance Presidents reported to the department of commerce today. The increase in November over October was 9.1 per cent.

Public offering will be made tomorrow of a $4,000,000 issue of American Gas and Powre company 6 per cent 10-year secured gold debentures at 95. Proceeds will reimburse the company in part for the cost of acquiring the Birmingham Gas Co., and the Industrial Gas corporation.

The International Telephone & Telegraph corporation announced today that it had acquired a controlling interest in the Peruvian Telephone company through the deposit of a large majority of the 40,000 outstanding shares. The Peruvian company operates more than 65 per cent o fthe telephones in that country.

Net income of the Detroit Edison Co., and subsidiary utility companies for the 12 months ending November 30, amounted to $18,330,694, compared with $12,337,565 during the preceding 12 months.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

WHEREAS, Default has been made in the terms and conditions of that certain mortgage hereinafter described by the non-payment of the four amortization installments of Eighty-seven and 75-100 Dollars ($87.75) each, due January 22, 1928, July 22, 1928, January 22, 1929 and July 22, 9129, and taxes in the sum of Two Hundred Twelve and 19-100 Dollars ($212.19) for the years 1927 and 1928 and the insurance premium in the sum of Twenty-one and 70-100 Dollars ($21.70) paid on October 12, 1929, the entire amount claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage at the date hereof for said defaults being Six Hundred Fourteen and 47-100 Dollars ($614.47).

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that that certain mortgage made by Henry Seymour, single, mortgagor, to The Federal Land Bank of Saint Paul, a body corporate, of the city of St. Paul, State of Minnesota, mortgagee, dated July 22, 1924, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Delta County, Michigan, on July 28, 1924, in Liber 30 of Mortgages, on Pages 19-20, will be foreclosed, and the lands and premises therein and hereinafter described, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said mortgage debt, with interest, costs and statutory attorney fee, sold at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Escanaba, County of Delta, State of Michigan, on Jan. 28, 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

The mortgaged lands to be sold are described as follows, to-wit:

The South Half of the Northwest Quarter (S½NW¼) of Section Five (5) and the South Half of the Northeast Quarter (S½NE¼) of Section Six (6), all in Township Forty-three (43) North, Range Twenty-one (21) West, containing One Hundred Sixty (160) acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, Delta County, Michigan.

Said sale is to be made subject and inferior to the unpaid principal of the said mortgage to The Federal Land Bank of Saint Paul, amounting to Five Hundred Fifty-one and 69-100 Dollars ($551.69), and accrued interest thereon.

Dated this 26th day of October, 1929.

THE FEDERAL LAND BANK OF SAINT PAUL
Mortgagee

St. Paul, Minnesota.
Gottfrid S. Johnson,
Attorney for the Mortgagee.
Manistique, Michigan.
161-302-13 Tues.

FOREIGN EXCHANGES

New York, Dec. 16—Foreign exchanges, firm. Great Britain in dollars; others in cents.

Great Britain, demand, 4.87 3-4; cables, 4.88¼; 60-day bills on banks, 4.83 2-8.

France, demand, 3.93 11-16; cables, 3.93 15-16.

Italy, demand, 5.23¼; cables, 5.23 3-4.

Demands.

Belgium, 13.99½; Germany, 23.93½; Holland, 40.33; Norway, 26.80; Sweden, 26.98; Denmark, 26.83; Switzerland, 19.44; Spain, 26.80; Greece, 1.29 7-8; Poland, 11.25; Czechoslovakia, 2.96 7-8; Jugoslavia, 1.77 5-8; Austria, 14.07; Rumania, .60; Argentina, 41.60; Brazil, 11.58; Tokyo, 48.95; Shanghai, 54.78; Montreal, 99.21 7-8.

NEW YORK METALS

New York, Dec. 16—Copper quiet; electrolytic, spot and future, 18. Iron quiet; No. 2 f. o. b. Eastern Pennsylvania, 20.00 at 21.00; Buffalo, 17.00 at 18.00; Alabama, 13.00 at 14.00. Tin, firm, spot and nearby, 41.75; future, 42.37. Lead, steady; spot, New York, 6.25; East St. Louis, 6.10. Zinc, easy; East St. Louis, spot and future, 5.65. Antimony, 8.50. Quicksilver, 124.00.

MONEY RATES

New York, Dec. 16—Call money steady, 4½ per cent all day.

Time loans, firmer; 30 days, 5; 60-90 days, 5; 4-6 months, 5.

Prime commercial paper, 5-5½.

Bankers' acceptances, steady; 30-60 days, 4 1-8-4; 90 days, 4-3 7-8; 4 months, 4 1-8-4; 5-6 months, 4¼-4 1-8.

LONDON METALS

London, Dec. 16—Standard copper, spot, 69 pounds; future, 67 pounds, 17s, 6d; electrolytic, spot, 82 pounds, 10s; future, 84 pounds. Tin, spot, 188 pounds, 10s; future, 191 pounds, 10s. Lead, spot, 21 pounds, 7s, 6d; future, 21 pounds, 10s. Zinc, spot, 20 pounds, 2s, 6d; future, 20 pounds, 12s, 6d.

DULUTH FLAX

Duluth, Minn., Dec. 16—Close, flax on track, 3.22¼ at 3.24¼; December, 3.22¼; May, 3.15.

Depression Felt In Curb Market; Oils Take Slips

BY STANLEY W. PRENOSIL,
(Associated Press Financial Writer)

New York, Dec. 16 (AP)—The Curb market was emphatically heavy in unusually dull trading today. With the technical rally from last Thursday's low apparently completed, traders were uncertain as to the next move, and lightened accounts pending developments. Light but persistent selling depressed most of the more active shares 1 to 8 points, and some of the more volatile issues from 10 to 35 points, nearly a score of rather inactive specialties touching new low ground for the year.

Utilities were under marked pressure, American and Foreign Power Warrants dropped about 8 points, American Gas and Electric, and Electric Bond and Share 5, and among the lower priced members of the group, American Superpower, Associated Gas A, Brazilian Traction, Middle West Utilities, and United Light A, sagged 1 to 2 points. Standard Power and Light dropped 7 points on a few sales, and Duke Power 4½.

Fox Up, Down

In the industrials and specialties, Atlas Portland Cement failed to make notable response to the offer of acquisition by U. S. Steel, and sagged ¾ of a point. Fox Theatres A sold up more than a point on report of a plan of reorganization of the Fox interests, but more than lost its gain later.

Massey Harris, large Canadian farm implement manufacturer, sagged more than 3 points to a new 1929 low, and such shares as E. W. Bliss, Blaw Knox, Celluloid Corp., Fedders A, and Universal Pictures lost 2 or 3 points, National Biscuit and Chesapeake and Ohio New, when issued, stocks, sagged 3 and 1 point, respectively, Deere dropped 19 points, Camp Hispano 27 and Safeway Warrants 35 in a few odd lot sales.

Oils were largely under pressure, Gulf and Humble each losing about 3 points. In the investment trusts, Goldman Sachs and Lehman Corp. each declined 3 points.

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WOOD—Dry softwood, $4.50; dry hardwood, $7.50. Diamond Pole and Piling Co. Phone 1050. 59-C

FOR WOOD of any kind call Ford's Fuel Yard. "Big Honest Loads." C-331

FOR SALE—Brunswick Victrola in good condition and three rockers. Inquire at 612 So. 15th St. 344-3t

FOR SALE—Christmas trees. Delivered. Phone 662-J. At corner Ludington and 14th St. Rear of Escanaba Oil Station. 331-346-6t

FOR SALE—Ludwig drum trap outfit. Reasonable price. 1318 Ludington St

Trafton Gets Decisive Victory Over Art Shires

WINDY ONE IS DOWN 3 TIMES

Both Fighters Glad When Five-Round Battle Is Over

BY CHARLES W. DUNKLEY
(Ass'd Press Sports Writer)

Chicago, Dec. 16 (AP)—The Mighty Charles Arthur (The Great) Shires, has fallen.

Art Shires

The great man was reduced to a first-class first baseman tonight—and how. Knocked to the resin twice in the first round Shires was decisively defeated in his five round fight with George (The Supergreat) Trafton, Chicago football player, before the largest crowd that ever jammed the White City arena.

The Great One, although fighting a courageous, uphill battle against his heavier foe, was beaten so convincingly that he beaten so convincingly that not until an hour after his fight did he remember his proposed battle with Lewis (Hack) Wilson, Chicago Cub centefielder.

He Was Game

Trafton, former Notre Dame star center, had a weight advantage of 40 pounds over the loquacious blond Texas youth, coming in at 218 3-4 to 179¼ for Shires, and this tremendous edge in poundage probably was the deciding factor in the battle. Before a crowd of more than 50,000 frenzied customers who paid in excess of $15,000, Shires and his giant foe fought themselves into a state of exhaustion while the spectators screamed in the excitement of the uneven battle. Before the first round was finished, and Shires had been knocked to the floor twice, it was apparent the Great One had met his master, if Trafton could manage to stick the limit. To Shires' credit, however, it must be said he fought gamely always tearing in, in the face of the tremendous weight handicap.

Bell Ends Count

As the fight started, Shires, a trim, tense athlete flew into Trafton like a bantam rooster. After a furious exchange of punches, Trafton picked his right off the floor and sent it crashing against the tip of Shires' chin. Down he went, but jumped to his feet again, without taking a count. He proceeded to walk right back into the fire with the courage of a Cub panther. Shires threw a few punches to the head and then opened up with another rally of his own, that made Trafton retreat. Just before the round ended Trafton shoved Shires into a neutral corner, whipped a left to the chin and knocked the Great One to his knees. Shires remained on his haunches while the referee started his count. Before the count was finished, however, the bell ending the round was clanged.

The crowd was in such an uproar, however, that neither of the fighters, nor the referee, Norman Garrity, heard the bell. After a lot of confusion both fighters were waved to their corner by excited ringside spectators.

Both Wax Weary

As the second round opened Shires' face was a bloody smear from a split lip. Both appeared to be tremendously tired, and Shires gave unmistakable signs of "dogging it."

They were so completely exhausted before the third round began that they stood in the center of the ring, each waiting for the other to throw a punch. Trafton lashed out and had the better of an exchange, sending a barrage of punches to the head. They were fighting so furiously at the bell, with Shires sagging into the ropes, that again neither knew it was the finish of the round.

By the time the fourth round started Trafton was so tired that his arms appeared to weigh a ton apiece, and his feet two tons each. Trafton, the football player, was taking time out to get his wind, with Shires walking around him like a school-kid waiting for a chance to knock a chip from his shoulder.

The fifth was a repetition of the fourth, with Trafton, too weary to fight, walking around the ring glancing over his shoulder at Shires, and with Shires apparently unaware that a good wallop on the chin or a punch to the midsection, might have knocked Trafton sprawling and out.

"Get Wilson for Me"

The fight was Shires' second professional ring engagement and fight and baseball fans crowded the ringside, jammed the reserve seat section, and quarreled over space in the general admission bleachers. At least 1,500 peered over the shoulders in the aisles. Several hundred more hung from the window-sills and Promoter Jim Mullen, who has had many a show, where vacant seats were the most conspicious things to be observed, actually turned thousands away.

Shires, despite his defeat, still wants to fight Wilson.

"I didn't want to fight that big bum anyhow," Shires said. "Think how much the guy weighs—40 pounds more than I do. If I knocked him out, what credit would I get? He was too big for me, he weighed too much. It was a sucker match. I'm going to tell my manager that when I see him, and if he gets fresh, I'll punch him in the eye. I still can fight. Get Wilson for me."

Trafton was jubilant over his victory.

"Licking Shires was easier than getting kicked around a football field. If I had been in better shape, the Great Man would have been stretched on the canvas, dead to the world before the second round was over."

WRESTLER WANTS BOUT

Kansas City, Dec. 16 (AP)—Promoter Gabe Kaufman today offered Art Shires, Chicago White Sox first baseman $5,000 for a bout here with Nick Lutze, formerly of Notre Dame. Lutze has been performing as a wrestler but has announced his intention of changing to boxing.

Felch Cagers Beat Rapid River, 16-12 In Thrilling Tilt

Felch, Mich., Dec. 16.—(By Special Correspondent)—Coach Alford's cagers defeated the strong Rapid River quintet at Felch Saturday by a score of 16 to 12.

The game was fast throughout. At the end of the first quarter Rapid River lead 4-3. At the half they lead 8-5. In the second half Felch came back strong and scored 4 points to Rapids free throw by Young. In the last quarter Alford's crew scored two baskets to Rapids one by Nelson.

Felch had the edge on the River crew throughout the entire contest. They excelled on defense. There was no star for Felch team. Every man played real team work, although Isaacson was high man, his shots were all short "dog" shots from passes by Carlson.

B. Miller netted six points for the River crew. The lineups of the teams were as follows:

The Summary

Rapid River	FG	FT	PF
W. Young, f	1	1	0
R. Miller	3	0	1
G. Nelson, c	1	0	2
H. Trottier, g	0	1	2
J. Sloan, g	0	0	0
Totals	5	2	5

Felch	FG	FT	PF
Carlson, f	1	0	1
Backlund, c	2	0	2
Isaacson, f	4	1	2
Johnson, g	0	0	0
Blomquist, g	0	1	0
Totals	7	2	5

Referee—A. Johnson, Escanaba.

Scorer—Champion, Metropolitan.

Substitutions—Rapid River, M. Rushford for Nelson, Nelson for Rushford; J. Trottier for H. Trottier for R. Miller for J. Trottier.

Bears Will Book Up Eastern Team

San Francisco, Dec. 16 (AP)—University of California's Bears will play a post season football game either on New Year's Day, 1931, or during the last week in December 1930 with one of the outstanding eastern teams.

W. W. Monohan, graduate manager, made this announcement today at the annual meeting of the Pacific Coast Conference. He indicated that either Yale or Navy would be the eastern opponent for the game which will be played in the Memorial stadium at Berkeley.

Campolo Hopes to Crash in "Big Time"

Buenos Aires, Dec. 16 (AP)—The Argentine heavyweight, Victorio Campolo, left here today for New York, where he hopes to get back into the "big time" heavyweight circle in the United States. Campolo's North American career was interrupted by managerial difficulties after he had fought his way into the ranks of the leaders.

He was accompanied by another Argentine boxer, Maximo Carlos Oldani, who will serve as his trainer.

Try Night Football For Soldier Field

Des Moines, Iowa, Dec. 16 (AP)—Drake University and the University of Oregon have signed for a night football game at Soldier Field, Chicago, next October 3. E. C. Lytton, business manager of Drake, said it would be the first night game at Chicago unless one is scheduled by a Chicago school for the previous week.

N. Dakota Aggies Book E. Lansing

Fargo, N. D., Dec. 16 (AP)—North Dakota Agricultural college has signed a contract to meet Michigan State college in a foot game at East Lansing next November 8, it was announced here today.

BRUSHING UP SPORTS . . . . . By Laufer

SHE WAS IN HER HUSBANDS' CORNER AND WHISPERED ADVICE BETWEEN ROUNDS, WHEN RUBY ROBERT WON THE TITLE FROM CORBETT ...AT CARSON CITY...
MRS. BOB FITZSIMMONS
THE FIRST WOMAN "SECOND" ....IN THE HISTORY OF THE RING....
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WON 34 AND LOST BUT 5 FOR ONE SEASON FOR AN AVERAGE OF .872— —THE HIGHEST EVER TURNED IN BY A MAJOR LEAGUE .....PITCHER....
IN 1911, PITCHING FOR BOSTON RED SOX, JOE STRUCK OUT THREE CHICAGO PINCH HITTERS IN A ROW..... ....DOUGHERTY, PAYNE AND BLACK....
LAUFER

CUEIST BREAKS TWO RECORDS

Wins in Two Innings; Has Unfinished Run of 126

Detroit, Dec. 16 (AP)—Ralph Greenleaf of New York defeated Frank Taberski, 120 to 0 in tonight's game of the world's championship pocket billiard tournament, and in doing it broke two world's records.

Greenleaf bested the defending champion in two innings, and made an unfinished run of 126.

This was the second time during the present tournament that two new world's record have been established in a single game. Greenleaf's feat tonight took the world's record run away from Erwin Rudolph of Chicago, who ran 111 last week. By winning in two innings the New Yorker also snatched another laurel from Rudolph who broke all previous records by winnings in four.

A scratch in the first inning made it necessary for Greenleaf, who is a former world's champion to run 126 balls to win the game. Taberski missed the only time he had a chance with the cue.

The remarkable performance of the New Yorker, however, left Rudolph with one world's record, which he acquired this afternoon by defeating Marcel Camp, of Detroit, in 30 minutes, the shortest time on record for a 125-point game. The best previous time was 37 minutes, made by Rudolph last week.

In Second Place

Rudolph still holds the lead in the tournament, having won five games and lost none, but tonight's victory places Greenleaf in second place, with four games won and one lost. Greenleaf and Rudolph will meet in one of the two games each still must play.

One of the two men is certain to win the championship, with the possibility that they may play off a tie.

Rudolph's victory over Camp this afternoon was by the score of 125 to 9 in six innings and was featured by a run of 104.

In the first game of the afternoon Spencer Livsey of Los Angeles played his final tournament game by defeating Joseph J. McCann of Jacksonville, Fla., 125 to 58, in 21 innings. This was McCann's sixth straight defeat.

A New York official says the Pitt third team could beat Notre Dame three touchdowns to nothing, and the Pitt first team would roll up 50 points against the South Benders. If that's any balm for those Pitt alumni who have been carrying guns since reading the Steffen story, there it is.

Gabby Street says he thinks errors of omission, as well as commission, ought to be included in the box scores. At that rate every official scorer would have to have five assistant clerks and a bodyguard.

You could stir up the same kind of brawl in the south by remarking that you didn't think Gene McEver quite came up to Jim Thorpe.

Has Run of 104 In World Pocket Billiard Match

Detroit, Dec. 16 (AP)—A run of 104 featured Erwin Rudolph's fifth straight victory in the world's championship pocket billiard tournament at the Recreation building this afternoon. Rudolph defeated Marcel Camp of Detroit, by the score of 125 to 9 in six innings. He made his high run in the fifth inning and ran out in the next with two.

In the first game on the afternoon program Spencer Livsey of Los Angeles played his final tournament game by triumphing over Joseph J. McCann of Jacksonville, Fla., 125 to 58 in 21 innings. Livsey's high run was 32 and McCann's 21. This was McCann's seventh straight defeat and his last game. Livesy won three and lost four.

Rudolph showed a remarkable reversal of form today ofer his work last night against Pacquale Natalie when he was forced to play 31 innings to win. His first three games took only a combined total of 19 innings. He has had high runs of 111 and 67; also one of 54. His two remaining games will be against Ralph Greenleaf and Frank Taberski, the defending champion.

Rudolph played cautiously at the start but did not get into his stride until the fifth when he shot the same kind of billiards which enabled him to shatter the world's record with his 111 last week. His run of 104 also marked the second time in the tournament that Rudolph bettered the old mark of 101, set by Greenleaf in a match against Jerome Keogh in Rochester in 1924.

Rudolph broke another world's record held by himself this afternoon by completing his victory over Camp in 30 minutes. The best previous time for a 125-point game was 37 minutes made by Rudolph last week. Until this tournament Greenleaf held the record at 41 minutes.

If it had been a second baseman instead of Napoleon who lost the battle of Waterloo, the thing would have gone down in history as a fielder's choice.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS:

Whether or not a basketball player makes a basket, it's a toss-up.

OPEN SEASON WITH VICTORY

Michigan U. Outskates Ontario Sextet, 5 to 2

Ann Arbor, Mich., Dec. 16 (AP)—The University of Michigan hockey team opened its season here tonight with a 5 to 2 victory over the University of Western Ontario sextet, one of the leading collegiate hockey aggregations of the dominion.

The heavier Wolverines outskated the light Canadian team. One of the visitors' scores resulted when Capt. Bryant, of Michigan accidentally kicked the puck into the net during a mixup at Michigan's end of the rink.

Western Ontario defeated Michigan last year and the year before.

Joseph, of the last year's team, and Langen, a sophomore, were the scoring stars for Michigan with two goals apiece, while Schlanderer gained a point from a close-in shot with three Western players in front of the net.

Talk on Subsidy Dominates Confab

Mobile, Ala., Dec. 16 (AP)—A preconvention proposal to split the Southern Intercollegiate Athletic association into two or more groups failed to come before the delegates at the opening session of the S. I. A. A. here today. No mention of variously rumored proposals was made as the delegates plunged into a discussion of alleged subsidizing of athletes and professionalism within the association.

Dr. J. W. Provine, of Mississippi College, Clinton, Miss., president of the S. I. A. A., in his annual message, urged the adoption of a recommendation by the executive committee authorizing the president to appoint a commission to investigate the alleged subsidizing of athletes by member colleges.

In his message Dr. Provine told the delegates that on the whole condition of athletics within the S. I. A. A. was good. However, he said that some schools were injuring themselves by allowing public opinion to dictate their athletic policies.

The association late today accepted the resignations offered by Oglethorpe University of Atlanta and Furman University of Greenville, S. C.

A resolution was passed expressing approval of the effort on the part of the Cargenie Foundation to bring to light "various abuses and bad practices in college athletics, with the view of correcting them and raising the standards of college athletics."

HOCKEY SCORES

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

At London, Ont.: London 5; Niagara Falls 3.

Judge Wally Steffen wrote a piece describing an imaginary victory of Notre Dame over Pittsburgh. Wally is a brave man but we wouldn't bet even money on his chance to walk across the Pitt campus some dark night.

PURPLE CAGERS LOSE TWO MEN

Mileski and Treiber Will Be Out of 'Stique Game

Misfortune which has hovered over the camp of the St. Joseph basketball squad ever since the beginning of the season cast another shadow of gloom over the squad again last evening when Mileski, veteran guard, suffered a sprained ankle which will place him on the crippled list for the Manistique game here Friday evening. Treiber, also a guard, was out of the Stephenson fracas last week because of a blistered heel. It was learned yesterday that he will be 'on the shelf' for more than a month; infection has set in and he is under a doctor's care.

The loss of the two regular guards is a severe blow to Coach Brunelle who considers the Manistique tilt one of the hardest on his schedule this year. The Schoolcraft boys have not lost a game this year and have played three of the fastest outfits in this territory. Their most recent achievement was a single point victory over a formidable Rock quintet.

The Escanaba high school cagers will play at Manistique Thursday evening and the following night, the Kelly lads will journey here where they will meet the Parochials at the Escanaba high school gymnasium.

The Parochial mentor is developing a scoring offense but he has many inexperienced players who will have to have a few more games of practical experience before they will fit nicely into the system of play taught by Coach Brunelle.

Nahma Cagers Win From Perkins Five

Nahma, Mich., Dec. 16 (By Special Correspondent)—Perkins high school lost to Nahma by a 33 to 11 score in an interesting cage battle here Friday night.

The summary:

Nahma (33)	FG	FT	PF
R. Ranguette f	4	0	1
Douville f	2	0	1
G. Ranguette c	6	0	2
Tobin g	1	0	1
L. Ranguette g	3	1	2
Peterson g	0	0	0
Totals	16	1	7

Perkins (11)	FG	FT	PF
Stevenson f	1	1	1
Nelson f	0	0	0
LaChance f	0	0	1
Carlson c	3	2	0
V. Besaw g	0	0	0
F. Besaw g	0	0	0
Heirman g	0	0	0
Totals	4	3	2

Who's Who Squad Enroute to Coast

Chicago, Dec. 16 (AP)—The all-star eastern team, which meets a like squad of western stars in the annual New Year's Day charity football game at San Francisco, went through a spirited workout at Dyche stadium today and then entrained for the Pacific coast.

All 22 invited players responded for the workout and Coaches Andy Kerr of Colgate and Dick Hanley of Northwestern drilled them for more than an hour. Several new plays were given the squad, which is composed of eastern and middle western players.

While no announcement was made of the starting lineup, the coaches placed these men in positions during most of today's practices: "Frosty" Peters, Illinois, quarterback; Holm, Alabama, fullback; Brazil, Detroit, and Glassgo, Iowa, halfbacks; Tanner, Minnesota, and Booma, Dartmouth, ends; Sleight, Purdue, and Nagurski, Minnesota, tackles; Cannon, Notre Dame, and Anderson, Northwestern, guards, and Cox, Colgate, center.

No stopovers for workouts are programmed for the long journey westward. The squad will stop at Palo Alto until the game.

Gus Beats Lewis; 2 Straight Falls

Tulsa, Okla., Dec. 16 (AP)—Gus Sonnenberg, holder of the world's heavyweight wrestling championship, retained his title here tonight at the Coliseum before 6,000 spectators, by defeating Ed "Strangler" Lewis, the former grappling king, in two straight falls.

Pitt Basketeers Trim Iowa, 29-21

Iowa City, Iowa, Dec. 16 (AP)—Though Pittsburgh did not score from the field for the first eight minutes and Hyatt, Panther scoring ace, made only two baskets during the game, the easterners had little trouble disposing of the University of Iowa quintet, 29 to 21, here tonight.

Robert Spradling, Old Gold acting captain, sank three baskets and three free throws to tie with Arture, Pitt guard, for scoring honors.

With 300,000 depositors the Glasgow Savings Bank of Glasgow, Scotland, claims to be one of the largest savings institutions in the world.

Basketball Scores

College

At Iowa City—Pittsburgh 29, U. of Iowa 21.

At Buffalo: University of Buffalo 41; Ohio University 23.

Board Rule Hits Forward Passing; Slows Up Hockey

Chicago, Dec. 16 (AP)—Greater speed and higher scoring which have characterized hockey this season, promise to be considerably modified by action of the board of governors of the National Hockey league, who today approved an amendment affecting the forward passing rule.

The amendment forbids any player on the attack side crossing his opponents blue line ahead of the puck. Under the rule which has governed play this season, and which was responsible for more action and greater scoring power, there was no restriction as to who should cross the line first. The rule, before revision, permitted players to go down to the defending cage and wait for team mates to bring the puck down, similar to a "basket hanger" in basketball.

No change was made in the rule governing forward passing itself, indicating the governors wished to tame the game down only a little. The change was said to have been sponsored by Leo Dandurand, president of Les Canadiens of Montreal, and Connie Smythe of the Toronto Maple Leafs.

Managers Tom Shaughnessy of the Chicago Blackhawks, and Frank Frederickson of the Pittsburgh Pirates, declared the rule change would make it necessary for them to revise their methods of attack.

The amendment will become effective Saturday.

Two minor leagues, the Canadian-American and the Pacific coast circuit, were affiliated with the national organization and will be subject to draft.

New Yank Trainer Firm Believer In "Setting-up" Work

New York, Dec. 16 (AP)—The New York Yanks today announced the signing of E. V. Painter as trainer for the American league club. Painter last season was the trainer of the Boston Braves of the National league.

The new Yankee trainer believes there is much more to baseball than the pounding out of base hits and fielding of balls, on the ground and in the air. He is a firm advocate of systematic calisthenics and Bob Shawkey and his players will be doing setting up exercises at St. Pete this spring.

At the Braves' workouts on the other side of town in St. Petersburg the regular practice sessions were preceded by a series of maneuvers designed to make legs, stomachs and arms tough and hard for the strenuous summer of baseball to follow.

Now read the Classified page.

ATHLETES ARE GIVEN HEARING

Iowa Trust Fund Victims Meet Big Ten Committee

Iowa City, Iowa, Dec. 16 (AP)—Thirteen ineligible University of Iowa athletes will have an opportunity January 9 to persuade Western conference officials of their right to engage in further intercollegiate competition. In accordance with a request by the Hawkeye board of control of athletics the Big Ten eligibility committee will visit Iowa City Jan. 9 to investigate the status of the athletes barred by the Iowa board for borrowing from an allegedly unethical "trust fund."

Word of the visit of the Big Ten eligibility committee was received today from its chairman, Professor Thomas E. French of Ohio State university by Dean C. C. Williams, head of the Iowa athletic board. Other members of the committee are Professor O. F. Long of Northwestern and Professor Ralph Aigler of Michigan.

It has been the contention of Iowa officials that the athletes were under the impression that they were borrowing money from a bank, and were innocent victims of the "irregularity of a past athletic administration."

Manero, Catalina's Golf Winner, Moves On to San Gabriel

San Gabriel, Cal., Dec. 16 (AP)—With the Catalina open tournament behind them, the army of divoteers today moved to the old studded country club here to test golf clubs on the course where tomorrow they will compete for the top prizes of the San Gabriel $1,000 amateur-professional event.

Most of the outstanding golfers who have taken part in the other tourneys on the coast this winter will be present, including Tony Manero, New York professional who won the Catalina open Sunday; and Olin Dutra, Los Angeles, who placed second.

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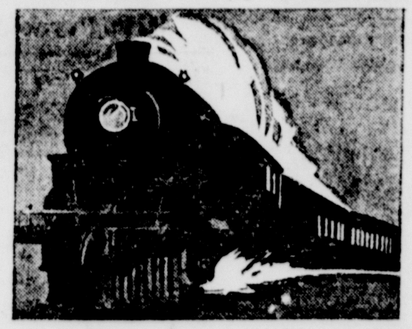

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WABASH MISSOURI PACIFIC

MUCH TIMBER TO BE SHIPPED

37,000 Cars of Forest Products on Peninsula Division

About 37,000 carloads of forest products will be handled over the Peninsula division of the Chicago and North Western railway during the winter, it was announced by officials here yesterday. This estimate of the coming season's shipments was made upon the completion of a tour of the division made by local railway officials, during which various timber jobbers were interviewed.

Despite the fact that lumbering is considered to be on the wane in this north country, the shipments of forest products during the coming winter will be about twenty per cent in excess of last year's figure. Of course, the production of lumber is not anywhere near the amount when logging was in its heyday about a quarter century ago, but nowadays every type of timber is converted to some use.

It is estimated that the North Western railway will haul 85,000 carloads over the three divisions in northern Wisconsin and Michigan—the Lake Shore, Ashland and Peninsula.

Since the first part of the month, the Peninsula division has been moving about 100 carloads per day, and when the season is well under way on January 1 about 250 carloads of logs and 200 carloads of pulpwood, ties, posts, chemical wood and other forest products will be shipped daily.

Operations will be quite extensive on the Whitefish branch this year, and the North Western railway will operate two log trains daily on this line. The Wisconsin Land and Lumber company and various jobbers for the I. Stephenson company have an ambitious cutting program mapped out for the 1929-30 season. One log train will be run daily over the Metropolitan branch. Shipments from points on the main line will continue as heretofore.

RALPH NEWS

Ralph, Mich., Dec. 16.—(By Special Correspondent) — Rev. Archdeacon Poipeor held service in St. Mary's Episcopal church at Ralph Wednesday evening, Dec. 14th. His congregation was especially glad to see him after a two months' absence owning to his visit to Plainfield, N. J., and an unusual pressure of duties on his return to this diocese. He gave a very interesting and inspiring sermon using for his text "Ye are the lights of the World," and taking for illustration our great electrical system which sends its light into all the dark plans of the world. He enumerated the blessing of such light to mankind showing how the world was made safer and cleaner place to live in. So we, as spiritual lights must shed our rays of love away gloom, sin and all things that are symbolic of darkness.

Mr. Clarence Anderson was appointed delegate and Mr. H. A. Campbell, alternate to Episcopal convention to be held at Ishpeming Dec. 17.

Messrs. Paris Fox and Ernest Fellis were business callers at Escanaba Friday.

Mr. George Harder, accompanied by his new woods superintendent, Mr. Fawcett, called at Ralph on business Saturday.

Charles Wells went to Escanaba Thursday to have his eyes restested and some dental work done.

Phillip Jacobs and mother, Mrs. V. Jacobs motored to Escanaba Friday.

Mr. B. Benson went to Escanaba Saturday to spend week end with his family.

Logging operations are held back by soft weather which has broken up the ice on the river bridges.

George Stevenson was a business caller at Ralph Saturday.

Santa Claus is evidenced by the unusual number of packages from mail order houses received daily at the postoffice.

Real Horseman

These trick "electric horses" may be all right for gymnasium exercises for some people, but Secretary of State Henry L. Stimson prefers an outdoor canter on a flesh-and-blood mount. He is shown above on his mount, Larry, in Rock Creek park in Washington.

St. Francis Hospital

Roy Nygren of Watson was admitted yesterday.

Murial Kagel, 231 Ogden avenue, submitted to an operation for relief from appendicitis and is as well as can be expected.

George Clark of Gladstone was admitted as a medical patient.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Swanson of the Delta Hotel Annex are the parents of a son.

Florence Carlson was dismissed yesterday.

Ole Peterson of Gladstone returned to his home yesterday.

In a recent month Germany sent nearly $20,000,000 worth of products to the United States.

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2 INJURED IN AUTO MISHAP

Girl Thrown Through Windshield and Lands in Ditch

Two persons were slightly injured when the Ford coupe, in which they were riding, crashed into a fence at the Soo Line crossing on the Danforth road early Sunday morning.

The injured:

Axel Carlson, 1103 Stephenson avenue, driver of the car; hands cut.

Florence Carlson, 620 Stephenson avenue; bruises over right eye and left hand cut.

Harold Ball, 1420 North Eighteenth street, and Anna Sidmark, 1212 First Avenue north, other occupants of the coupe, escaped without injury.

The driver lost control of the wheel when the car went over the tracks, and rammed into the fence, breaking three of the posts. A culvert presented the car from dropping down a 12-foot embankment, but the impact hurled Miss Carlson through the windshield and she fell into a ditch, which had about a foot of water. Joseph P. Greenfield, who lives nearby, went to the assistance of the wreck victims. He brought them to his home and summoned a physician.

Miss Carlson was taken to St. Francis hospital. She was able to leave for her home yesterday afternoon.

Sedan Stolen Here Saturday Evening

A Chevrolet sedan, owned by John E. Johnson, 1818 First avenue south, was stolen from its parking place near the J. C. Penney company's store here Saturday night.

The automobile, which is painted black, bears Michigan license plate No. 1-056-555.

Of 985 companies in Italy, 774 corporations showed profits last year, 185 reported losses, and 26 broke even.

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Sugar-cured Hams, whole or half, lb.	25c
Mutton Chops, lb.	17c
Pork Steak, lb.	22c
Pork Chops, lb.	25c

RADIO REMINDERS

December 17

Paul H. Seymour, famous Chicago bridge expert, broadcasts his weekly lesson at one o'clock this afternoon from Station WMAQ. Bridge fans meet Milton C. Work at 5:30 p. m. on a NBC hookup which includes WTAM, WGY and WGN.

Scene of the musical melodrama and the weekly chase for "The Chief" shifts to South America on the NBC chain. Among the stations presenting this feature at 8 o'clock are WLW and KYW.

Frank Ridgeway, director of information of the federal farm board will be speaker on the U. S. department of agriculture period at noon today. Stations include WLW, WJR, WLS.

Musical programs on the chains tonight and some of the stations where they may be heard include the following:

6 p. m.—Carborundum band; WMAQ.

7:30 p. m.—Pophylactics; WGY, WLS, WWJ.

8 p. m.—Paul Whiteman; WABC, WMMB. Eveready; WGY, WGN, WTAM.

8:30 p. m.—Minstrels; WTMJ, KDKA, KYW.

9 p. m.—Harry Reser's Eskimos; WGY, WWJ, WTMJ. Oilomatics; WJZ, KDKA, WGN.

9 p. m.—David Mendoza orchestra; WBBM, WABC.

9:30 p. m.—Radio-Kieth-Orpheum show; WGY, WWJ, WTMJ.

A ship that unloads its cargoes of cement, coal or gypsum without human help, is being built in England for a Canadian firm.

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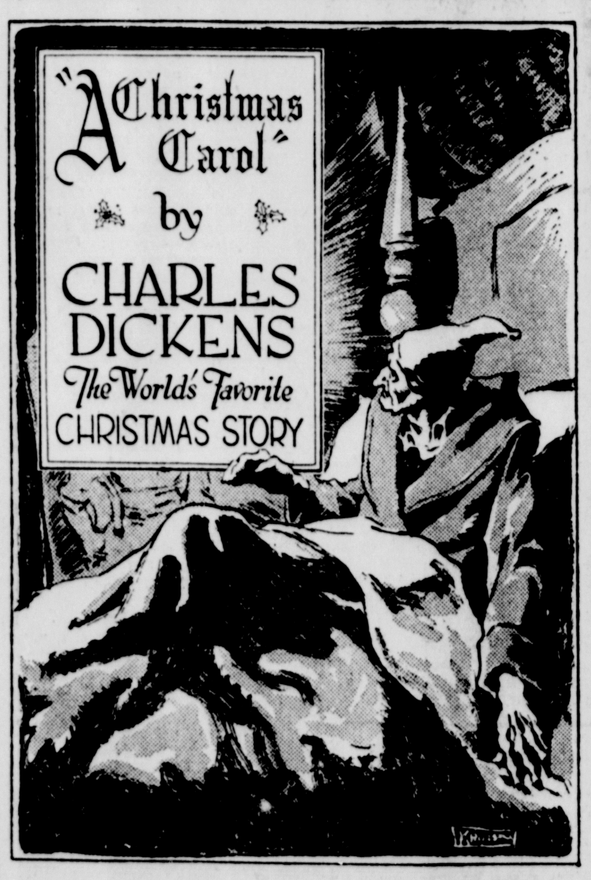

It Begins Wednesday In The Press

The FAIR STORE
ESCANABA

'Twas only a week before Christmas

And the big rush has begun . . . hurry, hurry, hurry . . . puzzles and problems . . . what to give . . . mustn't forget this one . . . this is nice for that one . . . hustle and bustle . . . through the too short days. But there is one thing to remember . . . midst all the excitement and confusion . . . and that is THE FAIR STORE. Remember that gift selections are larger there . . . that there are over 102 people to serve you . . . that prices are always reasonable . . . and most important . . . that THE FAIR store label on a gift gives it prestige. Remember that, come to The Fair for an hour or so . . . and your hustle and bother is done.

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TUESDAY, DEC. 17
B. A. of R. E. Eagles Hall, 9 p. m.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 18
Webster School, 3 p. m. 7 to 8 p. m.

THURSDAY, DEC. 19
Perronville school 8 p m.
Groos school 9 p. m.

FRIDAY, DEC. 20
Ford River Switch school 2 p. m.

SATURDAY DEC. 20
Library Story Hour, 10:30 a. m.

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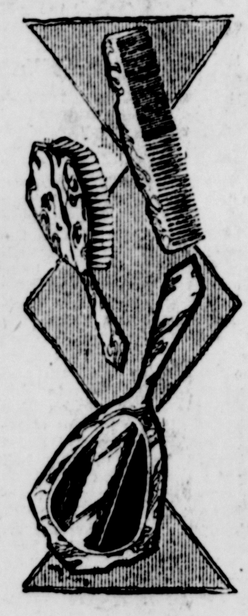

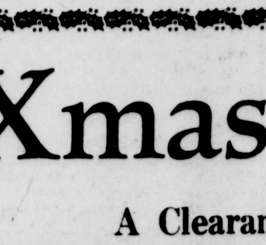

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